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products has declined are

also established facts. But

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# **Textilitis** industries and the demand

for government action Signed support to outright disof both the plaint and the plea. That Lanca Wonth's doldrums there is no disputing; that this is in some measure due to intense competition, from imported. Washington, Apr. 22. cloth must be acknowledged; that world markets

shire mills, and that over- May 15 to sign the Austrian state treaty "if all seas demand for their goes well", an authoritative American source said

The source said the Big Four could meet if the the remedy for this state of affairs is not so easily Soviet Union raised no obstacles to the conclusion of the Treaty. Hongkong recognises the

The Western Powers, in identical notes transthe British textile industry mitted to the Soviet Foreign Ministry today, suggested that preparatory work for the confer- Harping. On the President of the Board ence begin on May 2 among their ambassadors in of Trade has in mind in the Vienna and an Austrian representative.

The May 15 date would permit the Foreign Ministers to meet shortly after the meeting of the Atlantic Council in Paris from May 9 to 11.

The source pointed out, how-feetween the Austrian and Soviet that the government has no ever, that general elections are ministers in Moscow, it is clear intention of applying either scheduled to be held in Britain that "some preparatory, work quotas to Commonwealth. on May 26. It is not yet known still remains to be done. Recallwhether or not the British Gov- ing the tripartite declaration of croment wants to wait until April 5, it suggests that the after the elections to hold the ambassadors of the four powers cessions embodied in the meeting of the four Foreign in Vienna should meet at a very Imperial Preference agree- Ministers.

early date, with the participation Meanwhile, two State De- of Austrian representatives, to ments. Hongkong certainly partment officials, - Richard reach the necessary agreements hopes there will be no re-Freund of the Austrian Sec- for the, early signature of the nunciation of these protion, and legal acriser Donald state treaty by the foreign minis-Wehmeyer — were scheduled ters. It would therefore propose DESTRICTIVE measures to to leave here today for Vienna that the ambassadors, together bolster Home industries to take part in preparatory with Austrian representatives, are not in themselves sound meetings of the Western am- should meet in Vienna con long-term policies. Nor do bassadors, prior to the opening May 2. they always do industry of talks with the Soviet Am-

Economist has pointed out, note to Russia reads: be as vicious nor, indeed, United States, in consultation foreign ministers to meet and crash" and in his way murder- Matsu and then Formosa and the as effective, as they are with the British and French sign the weaty." - France- en' the passingers. sometimes said to be, but governments, has considered the Presse. Soviet government's note of April 19 proposing a conference or the Ministers of Foreign are helping the industry to Affairs of the United Kingdom, the Soviet Union, the United Lancashire feels entitled to States and France, with Aussome protection trian representatives participafrom undue, and at times ting, in order to discuss the unfair competition, but the question of concluding a state present sad state of its treaty for the re-establishment textile industry is not Austria and in order to sign

wholly the cause of fierce that treaty. VIEW WELCOMED many mills have improved government of the States welcomes the their modern techniques it United remains true that the in-|Soviet Government's view that dustry as a whole has done possibility now exists of con- earthquake shocks in little to bring itself up to cluding the Austrian state area of Volos in Eastern date. This is where British treaty, It would be pleased 13 Greece on Tuesday and textile manufacturers can participate at the earliest Thursday destroyed 35 per possible moment in a meeting of the foreign ministers of the four cent of the houses and renhelp themselves and make a positive contribution to- cowers together with the repre- dered another 35 per cent wards solving the heavy scatatives of Austria in order uninhabitable.

problem of world competito sign the treaty. tion. Aid there should be, From the information it has received regarding the exchanges Volos region are reckoned to be

Of Pictures In China Mail Next week the China

journalism in Hongkong. On Monday will be published a uniqué, singlé picture, spread over half a page, of the scene last Thursday afternoon of the Queen's Birthday garden The Foreign Ministers of the Western Powers at Government possession of the Lanca- and the Soviet Union might meet in Vienna about

On Tuesday will appear another pictorial half-page of exclusive photographs of the Queen's Birthday parade. These will be in attractive composite" form and will vividly portray this annual

Mail is to make a new contribution to pictorial

# Accusation

London, Apr. 22. The Communist Peking People's Daily today accused Britain of "evading responsibility" for the crash off Sarawak on April 11 of an Indian Constellation airliner carrying members of the Chinese delegation to Bandung for the Afro-Asian conference.

New China News Agency, newspeper said 12 days had Formosa is seen as expressing "As soon as the necessary pre- passed "since the American and more loudly than words the The text of the United States | parations have been completed, Chiang Kai-shek secret agents determination of China to resort the earliest" practicable date in Hongkong in the act of pre-"such agreements may not "The government of the should then be set for the meditated sabelage, caused the

The Article accustd Bria Chinese warning before the nor Mr Nehru's assistant. Mr sireraft took off from Hongkong Krishna Menon has made any that sabotage might be at-

government on April 17 strongly | tion at Bandung would be the protested against Chinese Communist accusations and said Hongkong authorities took all teps to ensure the safety of the passengers and alroraft while Eastern correspondent of the they were in Hongkong.

Of the eight crew and 11 Communist officials and journal- said that Burma's Ambessador to Engineers estimate that ists in the plane, only three, all members of the crew, survived,

# Peer's Campaign

London, Apr. 22. Sir Winston Churchill has come to the support of a political rival who does not want to sit in the House of Lords, it was it logical to regard Burma as a disclosed today.

Mr Anthony Wedgwood Benn, Labour Member of Parliament, seeks to renounce his heritage rights when his father dies. dustrial town in Greece and He said today he had received the government is taking steps a letter from Sir Winston to ease the plight of workers supporting his case.

Mr. Benor intends to produce who will be out of jobs for the Queen of bill comes up in the House of morning toppled over and ity to see again in our lifetime Greece left today aboard the Lords on Tuesday. His father rolled into the destroyer Navarin to visit Volos, is Viscount Stanegate.—United road. The driver of the forry other, fears that plague man--France-Presse, ... Press, France Press, France

# ADAMANT

## No Progress At Bandung Over Formosa

Washington, Apr. 22. Diplomatic observers here now seem to be giving up hope that some major development bringing closer a ceasefire in the Formosan area might emerge from the Afro-Asian conference at Resurrection Bandung.

When the conference started cautious hopes were expressed in official circles that the leaders of the "un- Skylon committed" nations of Asia might be able to persuade Mr | Chooreckle Chou En-lai to make some conciliatory declaration renouncing the use of force, if only temporarily, as a means of settling the future of Formosa.

II was thought that such declaration might create an atmosphere in which world leaders could seek to bring about same sent of peaceful modus vivendi er undeclared ceasefire between Nationalists and! Communists without prejudice to their claims upon Formost or the offshore islands of Quemcy and Matsu.

But reports from the Bandung conference now give the impression that the resistance of Mr Chou, the Chinese Prime Minister, to making any such gesture rises rather than falls as the conference runs into deadlock and the proposed eightnation "ride talks" on Formosa. are postponed and postponed.

LOUDER THAN WORDS Meanwhile the rapidly in-In an article quoted by the creasing Chinese military buildthe up on the mainland opposite to force to obtain first the offshore islands of Quemoy and

Since neither the Ceylonese Premier, Sir John Kotelawala, DR SALK the Indian Premier, Mr Nehru, taken a cerious view of the Indian Premier, Mr Nehru, progress with Mr Chou En-lai, there has been some speculation Burney delegat next group logically to see what

they could do. There was considerable incress in a dispatch from the chief Far Christian Science Monitor, Gordon Walker, yesterday which Washington, Mr James Barrington "would by a more eligible and responsible individual approach the Chinese munists than those who have

already tried."

Mr Barrington is one of the most popular and highly respected Asian ambassadors in night in a ceremony in the Washington and officials today White House, which was pointed out that expressions of affection for both the Communist and non-Communist sides made in the past by the vaccine, released for general use Burmese Premier, U' Nu, made by the United States Governmediator between them.-Reu- by the President as "a signal

# LORRY TOPPLES

A contractor's lorry, working his discovery was the result of on a new building site over- team work, and he hoped that the letter when a renunciation looking Macdonnell Road, this they might "have the opportunside of was taken to hospital.

China Mail

Feature

Here are some of the highlights of today's feature

the World ... "Did 1

Happent" story by Eric

P. 16 & 17: 4 Local and

overseas sports reviews.

Handing over to Dr Jonas E.

the discoverer

United States to the "Bene-

factors of Mankind," President

there were "no words in which

adequately to express the thanks

of myself and all the people I

know, to say nothing of all the

Dr Salk was honoured

-resplendant with azaleas for the

occasion His anti-poliomyelitis

ment last week, was described

and historic contribution to

three boys were present at the

ceremony, modestly replied that

Dr. Salk, whose wife and

Eisenhower said lonight

people in the world."

human welfare,"

kind"—France-Presse.

Citation" awarded

Williams

section: Conqueror -P. 6: Crash Dive in the Straight Flush North Sea, by Ralph Tell-me-more Barker, a Goldfish Club

adventure story. P. 7: William Smyly con-Cordon Rooge cludes his series "Back 'room Boys of Hongkong's

Apple Pie CXD": A Ghost haunts the Kremlin, by John Atkin-P. 8: Saturday short story. P. 13: The Oldest Truth is:

#### Highlights Green Velvet Queenbots Outsider.-Rider's Wish Straight Flush Hunca Munica Conqueror Outsider:-Sunstreak. Outsider:—Moonrush...

Cares Outsider .- Corvette.

By "The Turf"

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Outsider.—L'arc Triomphe.

RACE 3

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Outsider - Super-King.

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First Lady Many Returns

RACE 10

Outsider.—Corvette

#### Jingle Bell Outsider:-Ben Lomond RACE 7 Treesureland Kentucky Lad

Squadron Leader Outsider:-Flaming Wheel RACE 8 First Lady

Kerrera Outsider:--Green Velvet RACE 9

RACE 10 Cordon Rouge

## Sir Harfley Shawcross' Solution To Problem

London, Apr. 22. Sir Hartley Shawcross, a minister in the former Labour Government, tonight urged the neutralisation of Formosa with self-determination in 10 years' time. He also advocated that Communist China be given a seat in

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the United Nations. Sir Hartley said: "I believe the Chinese scat in the United our Foreign Office ought now to Nations."-France-Presse. press upon our American Allies

the urgent importance of adopting realistic attitude towards St George's Formosa."

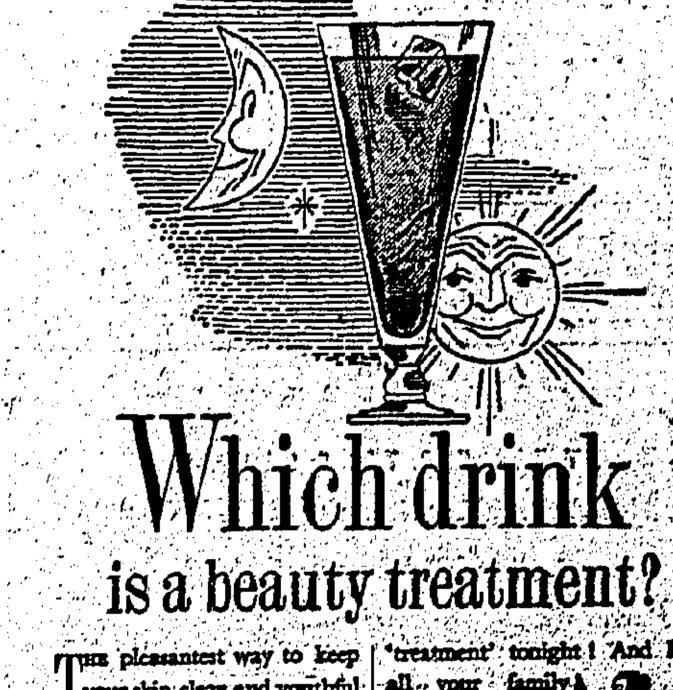
would be that Formosa should be effectively neutralised under United Nations protection. The should be retired and after an laying ceremony. interval of 10 years or so the Cenotaph. people of Formosa should be selves what their future shall

Sir Hariley, who was speakor not - should be admitted to Reveilla.

St George's Day was observed so-called Nationalist government this morning in a brief wreath-

Mr.G. E. Marden, President allowed to determine for them-. of St George's Society, Hongkong, placed a wreath at the

foot of the memorial. Buglers from the 1 Bn. The ing at Lewes in Sussex con- Essex Regiment, sounded the cluded: "In the meantime, the Last Post, followed by two Communist government - minutes silence. The ceremony whether we like its complexion concluded by, the sounding of



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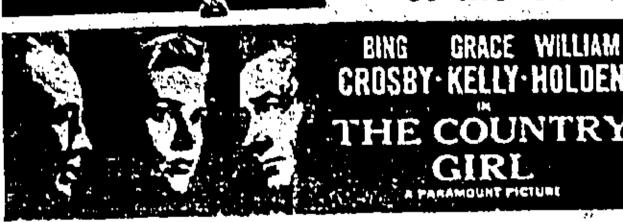
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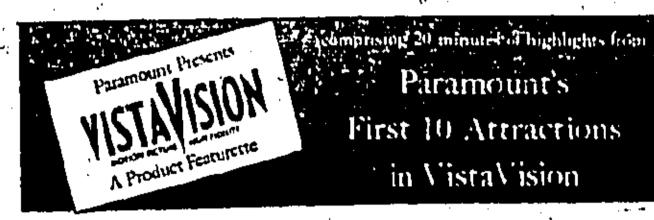
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"The Country Girl" probably not amuse you at all if you are one of his devoted fans, expecting to see the usual happy-go-lucky chap, quick with a quip or a song and friends, with everybody.

There's a hint of the old shy charm when we first meet hima has-been actor being auditioned for the starring part in a new show, but it soon disappears. Before he comes on to the stage to run through, rather pathetically, his corny act, the director of the show. William. Holden (and the only person at the audition who is on his side)
fills in a thumbnail sketch of the one-time success for the benefit of the hard-boiled pro-Drink, apparently, has been his downfall, but Holden hard to convince his sceptical colleagues that he knows the man has it in him to be great in the part, and finally wins his case on the understanding that the responsibility is entirely his.

William Holden or Grace Kelly are holding the centre of the stage, it is Crosby's behaviour, Crosby's past, Crosby's character that motivate the action. From diffident assurance at the audition, his mood changes, in his seedy apartment to one of self doubting humility. He's still at this stage a sympathetic character though, and his dowdy wife, Grace Kelly, registers as a nagging watchdog worrying at his self respect and snapping at

From there on to the end of

#### once possessed. Antagonism

There is antagonism from the start between William Holden and this wife he feels to be the couse of her husband's degradation and the tension mounts slowly to the climax in which she lets herself go in a burst of fury which must have been the deciding factor in the Academy Award judgment:

This is a well made film with three competent players in the starring roles, but although I enjoyed it, it must have been a better play. On the stage all the emphasis is characterisation, and weak and warped mind Bing Crosby, the disillusioned loyalty of Grace Kelly and the directness one-purpose William Holden would have come over better in a stage production, necessarily stripped of the cluttering intrusions of other show people, night club singers, and flashbacks.

is as the drunkard, does not kill-and he is the victim. quite present us with a character. He speaks the lines given him with the appropriate expression and makes the correct gestures but he never quite succeeds in getting outside the personality of pleasant old Bing playing a rotter.

At the beginning, and in the court scene in which she bails Crosby out after a night drinking, Grace Kelly hits the note of reluctant loyalty was obviously striving for and If she had been able to sustain it, hers would have been really great performance ..

meant to be the pivotal part, and like the good all round actor he is, he is content mercly to support the other two.

> A Western With Only One Woman

"Bad Day At Black Rock" is divided into two parts. The first consists of a calculated impact because it involves tenseness conveyed by a brood- stock types rather than living ing atmosphere of suspicion, people. with the unspoken threats in the air gradually building to a spite of this, come from climax. After this the tension Spencer, Tracy breaks, as the suspicions are Brennan. voiced and the threats made

around whom all this bad feel- in spite of his spell of medioing revolves. A bitter, disillu- crity. His role this time is sioned ex-serviceman he has that of the cynical doctor who only intended to spend a few proves to be the conscience of hours in the tiny town of Black the weak-willed sheriff, play-Rock when he first gets ed by Dean Jagger.

## ROBERTS



A scene from "The Country Girl"

Francis with a small part, 19

An Imaginative

Chinese Film

The Lee theatre is showing a

It is difficult to assess the

English sub-titles, but photo-

matter. Imagination has

off the train. We, together with the curiously watchful comclear, the Black Rock dwellers tenant, and Lee Marvin speak- Van Heflin, as the Battalion stranger's coming is most un- yet menacing cowboy. Anne in the assault on Saipan.

Placed right on the flat floor the only, woman in the picture. of the desert with the towering mountains, although some miles away, planted like a forbidding circle of fates around it. Black Rock's scorched main street flanks the railway down which the trains scream their way his attempts to rise to the sense without stopping. On the first Chinese picture, the English of responsibility he apparently streamlined monsters has come you are damiliar with the to a halt at the whistle stop, a Chinese cinema you will "restocky man dressed in city cognise in it the usual features him at the shanty town, with ground of fighting, the family distaste and picks his way across strife when the all-powerful to the little group silently father introduces an adopted son watching from the porch of the into the household, the tremen-

Something is worrying them, the final scene in which most of He cannot get a helpful answer the principals kill each other off to any question he asks, regard—as the result of jealousy. less of how simple and harmless wounded honour and affronted it appears. In spite of its family pride. obvious emptiness, he is told that mot a single room in the hotel can be rented him, even for a acting in a foreign picture few hours. Deliberate attempts one's understanding of the lan- schality which comes over well are made to provoke him into a guage is limited to reading the show of temper and later he discovers that the operator in graphic standards are a different charge of the cable office is under the influence of the most dangerous of the town's peculiar citizens. With this concection with the outside world severed, access to the telephone denied him and all his requests for the loan of a car refused, Spencer Tracy begins to realise that without a word of explanation on either side, the inhabitants of Bing Crosby, good though he Black Rock are circling for the

#### A Suspense Picture

The absence of action in the first half of the picture does not make it slow and the step by, step revelation of the make-up of the various characters prolengs the suspense without weakening the climax.

Tracy himself, an enigma frem the start, begins to arouse cur suspicions at one point, in spite of his disinclimation to fight and his apparent reasonableness in the face of the hostility of the town, but because he is opposed by the two main villains of the William Holden's wasn't piece, the moment passes and we are prepared to give him the benefit of the doubt.

I deliberately use the word "villains" as there is little light and shade in the personalities. This is a suspense picture with the emphasis on atmosphere rather than on the interplay of temperament, and. the violence of the action which flares up in the latter part of the picture loses a little of its

Very good performances, in and Walter Brennan, after having shown

good, and overflows into the how good he could be in second part, which is pure "Kentucky" and "The Westeraction of the first and gun ner" has not been served too well in recent pictures and it is pleasant to see that he has Spencer Tracy is the man not lost his sureness of touch

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tion" and many of the shots are obviously the result of an intelligent study of the best methods of other film directors. The lighting in some of the interior scenes could have been better. but I can think of no more effective way of emphasising the importance of the time factor in one scene than by shooting it from behind a swinging

#### pendulum. Battling Marines

In any story about the US Marines there is always a mis-understood fellow who attacks the tender feelings and slack muscles of raw recruit and seasoned fighter impartially, and gets himself thoroughly disliked throughout three quarters of the picture, to be vindicated in the last reel by the invulner-ability of the fighting machine his insults have helped to pro-

Filling this essential role in "Battle Cry" is James Whitmore, with, as some of his reluciant pupils, Tab Hunter, Aldo Ray and John Lupton. Various Warner Brothers starlets com-Other roles are taken by plicate their lives for them and the picture, whether Bing Crosby, munity, are not let into the Robert Ryan, a fairly conven- in lofty dominion over all is secret of why, he has come, but tional western tough boy with Raymond Massey as the Genalthough our consciences are Ernest Borgnine as his lieu- eral. Somewhere in between, are certainly not, and the ing softly as a simple minded Commander leads his Marines

#### Racing Thrills

The track scenes are the best part of "The Racers". The thrills come thick and fast and while the cars are scrapping for position, negotiating the tricky twists in the road and letting day since 1941 that one of these title of which is "Tradition", If the engines out to full speed on the straight there's never a

Not as interesting is the love clothes gets off, locks around of this form of drama—the back, affair between the ballet dancer, Bella Darvi, and the driver, Kirk Douglas. They take a long time to make up their minds about their real feelings for each other and the audience is dous family loyalty influencing torn from the exciting racing to every aspect of Chinese life and watch interminable tims tears, meetings and partings.

Katy Jurado and Cesar. Romero are the second couple and in my opinion, more worth watching than the others. Katy Jurado has a fascinating per-

The scenery is superb, needless to say—this is one aspect of CinemaScope that can always be relied on a used in the making of "Tradi-

## The New Films At A Glance SHOWING

EMPIRE, KING'S and PRINCESS: "The Country Girl". Two people fighting to restore the self-respect of a drunken actor. Bing Crosby, Grace Kelly and William Holden.

HOOVER and LIBERTY: "Bad Day At Black Rock". Dismounting at a whistle stop in America's south-west, a stranger stumbles on a four-year-old mystery. Spencer Tracy, Robert Ryan, Dean Jagger and Walter Brennan. LEE: "Tradition". Love, loyalty and betrayal during the Sino-Japanese war. A Chinese picture with English

sub-titles. NEW YORK and GREAT WORLD: "Modern Times". The world famous clown playing in one of the pictures that made him famous. Chartie Chaplin and Paulette Goddard. QUEEN'S and ALHAMBRA: "Battle Cry". The US Marines

in duty and play-time between 1942 and 1944. BOXY and BROADWAY: "The Racers". The lives and loves of the men who live for the excitement of car racing. Kirk Douglas, Beila Darvi, Cesar Romero and Katy Jurado.

## COMING

EMPIRE, KING'S and PRINCESS: "Three Ring Circus": Martin and Lewis on the loose in a circus. Jerry Lewis, Dean Martin, Zsa Zsa Gabor and Joanne Dru. HOOVER and LIBERTY: "Secret Island". Anglo-American co-operation in a research scheme. Gene Kelly and John

LEE: "Front Page Story". A day in the life of a prominent London newspaper, Jack Hawkins, Elizabeth Allan and Eva Bartok.

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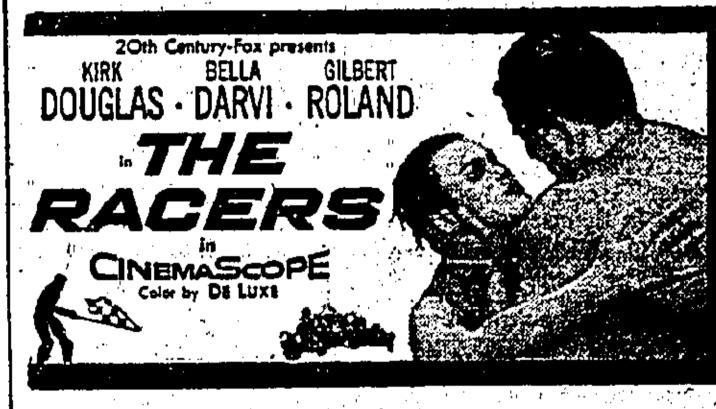
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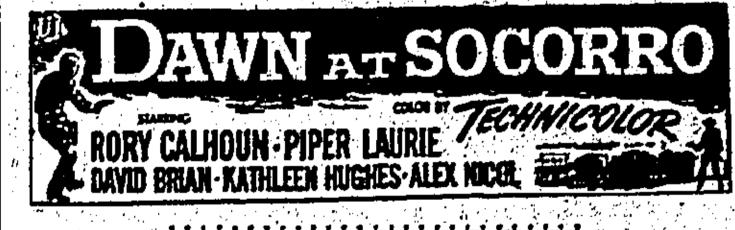
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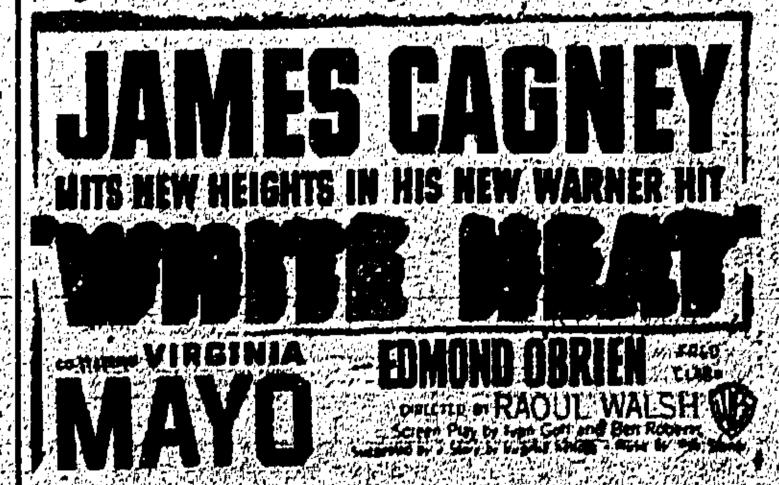
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THIS is a tale of tape — a new kind of tape that is beginning to take the measure of us all.

laugh, craw, gurgle, and burp But it's growing like a giant. on long calls, stores information for it. And it laughs, crass, There are some 1,500,000 tape for the new brain-like electronic perpetual sound-mirror, it will Most are used for home enterhold those boby-talk sounds tainment. forever, theoretical y—as long as Retail sales of tape "came to thin 'plastic strip coated with its magnetic field is not disturb- \$25 million last year. They iron oxide powder emulsion.

Machines move at its beck, million within six years. The corder are changed to electric Tapped telephones spill secrets Wall Street Journal said sales of pulses that remain as a magnetic on to it. Autopsy surgeons all types of tape recorders, plus pattern in the from. The delving into causes of death tapes, totalled about \$80 million "sound" will stay there without speak their notes on to it while last year, up \$20 million from loss of quality unless the tape is their hands keep on the job. 1953 and nearly double the brought near a strong magnetic Some mothers even record their children's tantrums on it. Later, they play them back so brightest now as a storehouse of the children can, hear how ridiculous they sounded

The magnetic tape industry and tape recording—is a child

## Slump In The Elephant Market

New Delhi. In a manner of speaking, elephants on the elephant

market are white elephants. There are just too many of them up for sale, and not enough people want to buy them. The Indian Government has banned the export of elephants. Their use in agriculture and forestry has declined because of the rise of mechanisation. The many rich princes who used to form the best market. for the huge pachyderms can no longer afford them for pomp

and panoply. Cost £1,300 During World War II. elephants cost as much as 20,000 rupees—or about £1,300, Teday, the price has slumped to 8,000

rupees, or about £200. Even at this low price, there are few One Government officer complained that he could not feed his two beasts and wanted to they say, where crooks prey

The Mysore Government has a bigger problem. It is keeping 40 elephants the craftiest technique wins.

which were captured in a roundup a year ago. At that time, about 70 elephants were taken but only 30 were sold. Now, it is costing the Mysore gammick that takes the pot. Government 18,000 rupees a month to keep them in hay. And with the high cost of living. that's exponsive hay.

Back To The Wilds Sonepur Fair in Bihar State, cardsharpers. But things are tough these days. Special rail transportation is ex- if a man is determined to murpensive for the 1,000-mile der you, you cannot prevent him journey from the jungles to from getting you in the end," the hardest to detect and beat Sonepur, and the sale prices are | Sprung said.

teo lew. Officials have said that if the on gambling."

already caught may have to be graphs. released to run wild again in It demonstrated how the back changes on the language of the jumgles to gut the cost of of cards can be "read" by crooks

the world on its feet again.

Bables cry for it. They also littelf. It's about seven years old. /articles as they crive their cars surgles, and burps back. Like a recorders in American homes, calculators

> ire expected to reach \$135 volume of 1952.

While tape recording shines ceremony, or Dad's bathroom Dreams," the other uses form a

Tape picks up information guided missiles and brings it tape. doctors abstracts from medical it. - United Press.

The tape used in all this is a Sound waves entering the re-| corder | are changed | to electric field that will wipe out the pat-

Finally, there is the achievethings as baby's first ment of video tape. Both Radio words, or caughter's wedding Corporation of America and Bing Crosby Enterprises have developed machines that take both the picture (in colour) and the sound from a television camera and store them, on the same

When perfected, this tape will sounds of heart disorders, helps virtually kiss goodlye to colcur search for oil by recording film for TV, eliminating the vibrations from explosions, gives time and expense of processing

# How Viennese Card Sharpers Fleece The Unwary

Vienna.

magician have published a 150-page report on the art of crooked gambling as practised in Vienna card rooms. Their findings can be summed up in

bars are licensed for card gam- | delicate nick of a fingernail on bling. Former inspector Ernst the edge of a card. Sprung and his collaborator, Magician A. Allen, estimate that mark his cards—by putting them 30,000 Viennese sharpers make a crocked living at the tables.

.Things have reached the point, A smouldering cigarette.

Sleight Of Hand

, various forms of trickery and it used to market a number of tries to show the amateur how year at the helpless he is against experienced

present situation continues, it is The Sprung-Allen book de- monds. A casual pluck at cutirely possible there will be scribed a long list of sleight-of- kibitzer's lapel could mean ace no more round-ups of wild hand tricks, including old of spades. A finger bent a certain fashioned card-up-sleeve devices, way might mean anything its In fact, some of the elephants and illustrates them with photo- cwner intended it to.

A retired police Inspector and a professional a sentence.

Some 5,000 Vienna cases and methods—some as subtle as the

sell them, but there were no upon crooks. In such games, all players know trickery is afoot land try to cutmatch each other in skulduggery. The crook with smile, the clearing of a throatthese or any of 1,000 other seem-

ing commonplaces may be the

Sprung and Allen say the purpose of their book, titled "Luck-Adjusted," is to reveal

"There is an old saying that many shady purposes."

"If you want a guarantee against being cheated,

One gambler used the sun to cutdoers for varying degrees of

Coloured Spectacles

Sprung and Allen warn particularly against two kinds of cards in common use in Europe, the "scotch" and the "lightning," so named, because their backs are decorated with Scottish tartans and lightning flashes These types are more easily tampered with than most, they

The book also describes a cumber of gambling gadgets the inspector and the magician encountered during the years they prowled gaming haunts in search of evidence. One pipe-smoking crook had a tiny mirror built in to his pipe, for instance, Coloured spectacles have been put to

Sprung and Allen say that all crooked gaming practices are signals. A cigarette that "It is the same if you insist dreps from one corner of the player's mouth may signal dia-

"Gamblers ring an infinity of signal," Sprung said. "And if through scores of marking they are good at their Game, there is absolutely no way to detect them."-United Press.

practical cost.

the American Government's



strange rites including the

He spends a lot of his time

correcting mistaken impressions

that all witches are ugly

old crones who stir cauldrons

and, zoom around on broom-

sticks. Men can be witches

too, and since the powers are

believed to be hereditary there

must be quite a few sons of

whiches around. The female

lander wisifully chronicled

before burning two 16-year olds

Mr Gardner insists that in-

stead of trafficking with the

powers of darkness, witches are

incurably benevolent people

citizens were jealous of the fun

"You see," he murmured,

wagging his grey goatee and

twirling a heavy ring engraved.

"This," he added smugly. "

moonlight."---United Press.

they had at their secret rites.

only because prudish

bo become so

as an old new Eng-

"bewitching" of Adolf Hitler.

Sam, the snow leopard just doesn't like civilization! He roared into his cage at Copenhagen Zoo recently, straight from the wilds of Asia. He's as rare as a genuine picture of a flying saucer — and about as friendly! A jab from one of his paws packs the combined power of a Marciano punch and the kick of a mule. Handsome, agile he may be-but Sam's going to have to tone his temper down a lot before he gets a mate!-London Express.

# ARE MASS

America's farms the production character of

**PRODUCING** 

As a result one working a 40-hour week can now turn out enough food for 14 people: Once, to took nine dawn to dusk six days a week to produce enough for themselves and one city dweller. Huge strides have been made in mechanising the farm within the past year manufacturers joined in production race rivalling that Combines that can harvest more than 100 different crops are on the market. One man

on a tractor can operate a picker that will do almost everything but spoon the corn into the mouth of the

"The American farmer has who got a bad name centuries

highl 3 skilled Duffy Vice President General Manager of the Ford "He can use and repair with a secret cabalistic sign,

complicated mechanical devices "witches always perform their that make his life easier. He rites in the nude. They takes hydraulies and electronics | threatened in his stride. And when he popular in mediaeval times that can't buy a piece of equipment the authorities got worried and he needs, he makes it himself." spread the falsehood that Pecan farmers in Georgia witches were ugly. grew tired of knocking nuts of trees with long poles, can deny emphatically and They devised equipment to fit personally. But I can under- protection and a longer smoke the hydraulic gear of a stand the Puritans point of at the same time, in spite of tractor. Now they place the view. A young man is more U-shaped end of the device likely to stay home if he has a against the pecan trees, turn on mental image of a foul old the tractor, power and shake crone creaking about than he is the buts to the ground with if he realises there are beautiful no physical effort.—United naked ladies dancing in the

#### of witchcraft in the Commonwealth. Witches are generally very reticent about themselves and you might live next door to one for years without suspecting it. But Mr Gardner goes around Safe ircely admitting that he is a member of a witch "coven" (13 witches make a coven) and that With Smoking he has participated in many

Bewitching

Benevolent

Gerald Gardner, a cozy old gentleman who

looks like somebody's benevolent grandfather,

isn't. He's a witch who travels not on a broomstick.

but on a commercial airliner from an island off the

British coast where he conducts the only museum

Chicago. Cigaretta smokers who want to inhale a minimum of tar and nicotine would do well to keep an eye on the length of the butt, the American Medical Association has reported.

The association's chemical laboratory found in a series of tests that the safest type of cigarette was a king-sized one liminated asbestospaper filter. But this applied only if it was thrown away when the butt was an inch and a half long, the association warned. If it was smoked any shorter

then the smoker gets more nicotine and tar than from a regular-size cigarette. The report also showed: Filter cigarettes not

equipped with the laminated asbectos-paper screen let a little more nicotine and tar through. A regular-length cigareette screens out still less but if it is smoked down to, only

an inch and a half, less nicotine and tar is absorbed than through a king-sized cigarette smoked right down to the

# Their Guard

Kampala, Uganda.
The sun was hot and the lone constable guarding a road gang of African convicts suddenly announced he was feeling ill I'm going back for treatment, he told the prisoners, but I'll be back, Don't run away The prisoners assured him they wouldn't think of it. True to their word, they kept at work until normal quitting time; Still the constable had not

returned.
So the convicts, organising themselves in neat formation. began to march back to prison under their own steam. Halfway back they saw their constable guard, stretched out

along the roadside. He was dead drunk. The prisoners held a quick conigrence and elected one of their number as honorary leader. He took the im-mobilised constables cap and belt and but them on himself. He bried the guard's boots too

The prisoners, with their honorary constable out in front, then marched slowly back to prison pushing and pulling their swaying guard

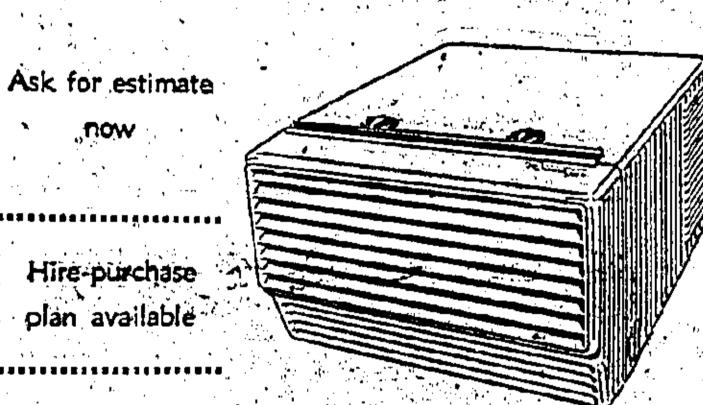
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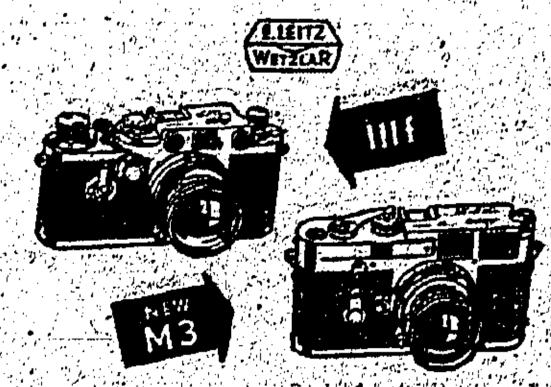
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# THREATENS US But Sub Group X' Will Escape

Those of you who worry about the future of the human race will be glad to know that "sub group X" is almost ready to move into a secret redoubt in South America.

There it will ride out "the atmosphere, universal sterility. second flood." As head of the Society's And after the rest of us are "social community," Mr Williamwashed away by the water, son has been charged with form-"sub group X" will emerge and ing "sub group X" and selecting start the tedious. jcb of getting the spot to hide in.

has been assembling "sub group mental energy," he said, "and X" for about 10 years, ever the simple truth is that a since the first atom, bomb went majority of people are in- Saline Water Conversion procapable of survival."

Metaphysics, is the study of Mr Williamson, who is 38 and to extend the life of the prophenomena outside the realm of an electronics engineers by pro- gramme and to increase the orthodox science. Mr John fession, said he had found a few funds available for such work Williamson, head of the society, people with the right amount of firm \$2,000,000 to \$8,000,000. and his followers are way, way mental energy. This "savoir Foreign scientists in such community' is learning how to countries as Holland Balgium; They claim that by using live with each other against the France, Italy, Australia, and

The American Government is making promising progress with experiments to convert sea and brackish water into fresh water at a But it may, be five to 10 | Dr. Jenkins reported to the the most economical process years before they develop a House Interior Committee in use at present."

Americans Make Promising Progress

Gleam In Our Eyes'

FRESH WATER

gramme, . He wants Congress He said about 10 laboratory ing processes. processes were under study. and about 10 more were "gleamy in our eyes." But the 1952 the cheapest sea water, most promising process found conversion estimates were so far, he said, was the Hick about \$400 to \$500 on acremon Still for large-scale varour foot. But now, he said, a goal

The Society of Metaphysicians "The secret of survival is satisfactory system, said. Dr recently on progress made in He said if Congress extended need been assembling "sub group mental energy," he said, "and David S. Jenkins, Director of American conversion experi- the retenrch programme about orh: or 10 pilet plants, costing from \$100,000 to \$400,000 each, would be built in various parts of the country to test promis-He said that when the Federal programme began in

They claim that by using live with each other against the special techniques they have day they leave for South South Africa are doing great compression.

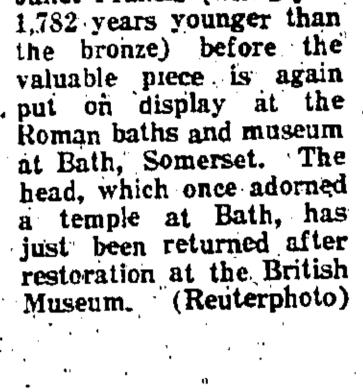
\*concluded that the world is due for destruction either by a flood exceeding Noah's, by radio-ac ive poisoning or, by a combining or, by a combining or, by a combination of disasters such as he doesn't want the place over-blustling for cafe political crowded—United Press.

# ESIDE PICTORIAL O





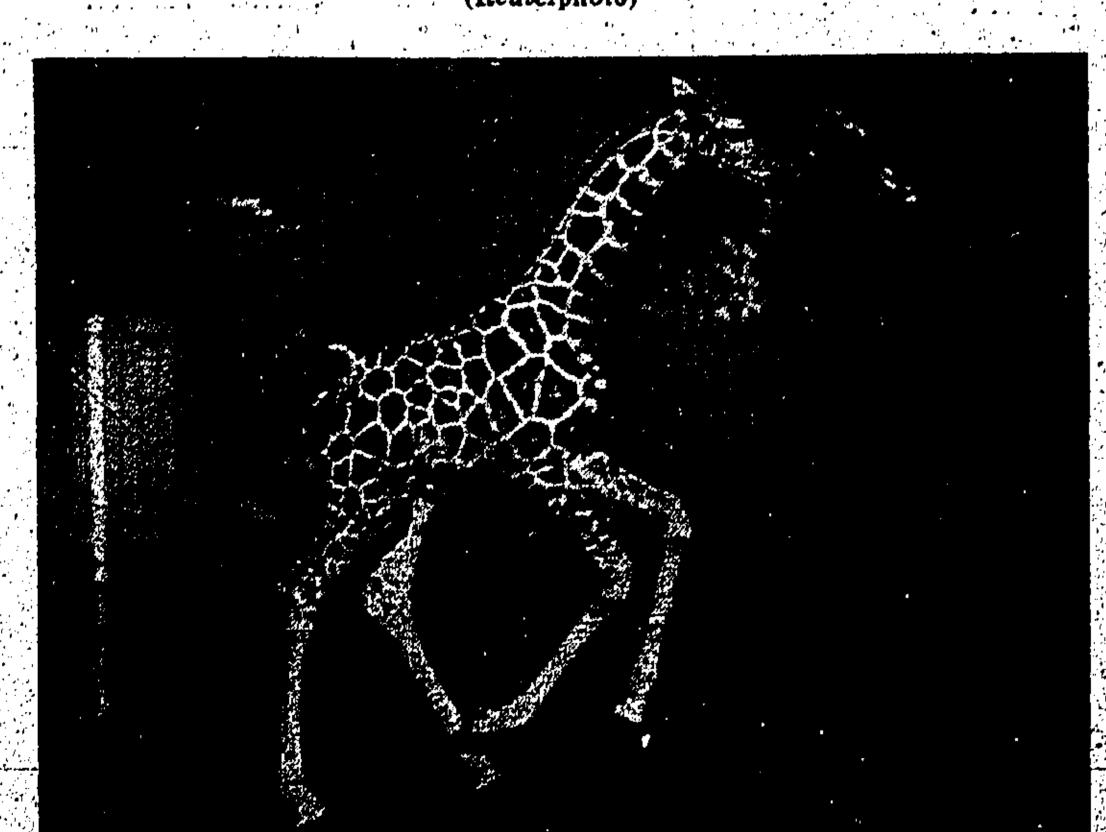
FINAL light dusting for the 1,800-year-old head of the Roman goddess Minerva is given by Miss Janet Francis (who's just







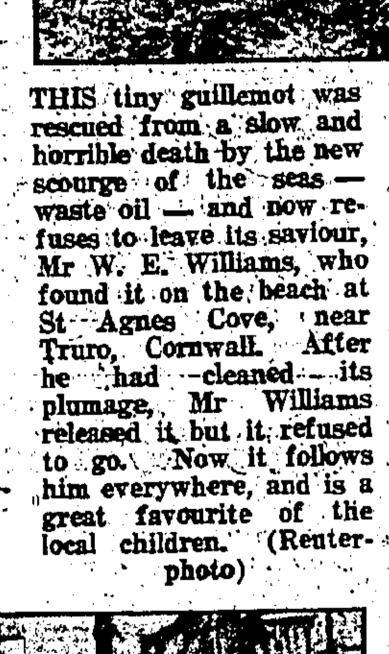
ARRIVING at the Foreign Office in London are members of the All-Party Parliamentary Group for World Government. They met the Minister of State for Foreign Affairs to discuss the Group's proposal for encouraging the creation of a world federal government. Back row, left to right: Mr Henry Osbourne, Mr John Rankin, Mr. I. J. Pitman, Mr Don Wade and Mr Frank Beswick. Front: Mr John Hay, Mr Joe Reeves, Mr Arthur Henderson and Earl Russell. (Reuterphoto)



DOING very nicely, thank you, with those long angular legs is Chris, the London Zoo's three-week-old giraffe. He is seen cantering round the paddock on his first outing. (Reuterphoto)



THE brilliant spring sunshine lures the stars from the Shepperton Studios set where the film, "Josephine And Men," is being made. Glynis Johns (centre) is Josephine. On left is Donald Sinden, and Peter Finch is on the right. (Reuterphoto)

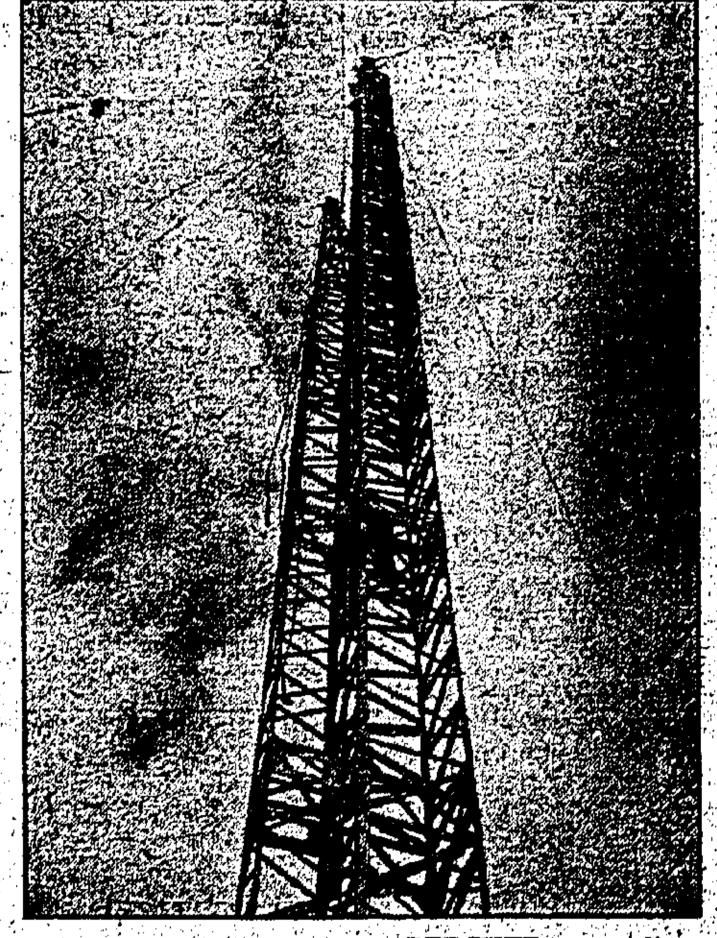




COND STREET, one of the most famous streets in the world of fashion, presented a unique outdoor show recently when 30 of London's most beautiful mannequins paraded from Piccadilly to Oxford Street wearing the latest suits, dresses, furs, shoes and accessories. (Central)



A pair of six-inch practice rockets streak down towards the sea from a Vampire jet trainer firing with gyro gunsights. The plane is steady in attack and easily manoeuvred — qualities which enable the Vampire to bring the target quickly to its sights and hold it there. (Reuterphoto)



LEFT: There is no lack of willing helpers to push in this onesixth scale model locomotive, arriving at the Central Hall, Westminster, for the Model Rallway Exhibition. (Reuterphoto)

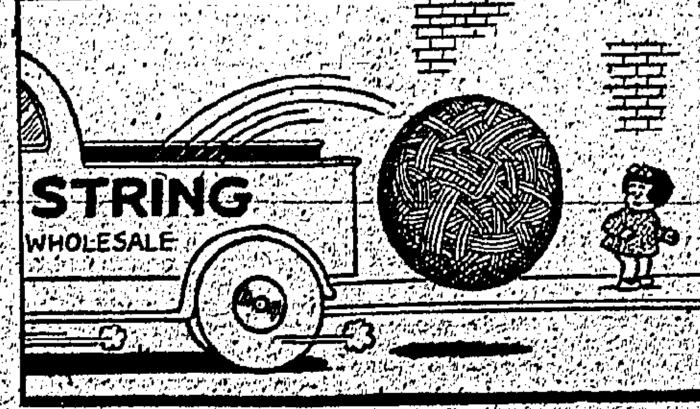
By Ernie Bushmiller

PERCHED at dizzy heights above the ground, men work on the construction of a giant 240-foot crane at Crystal Palace, London.

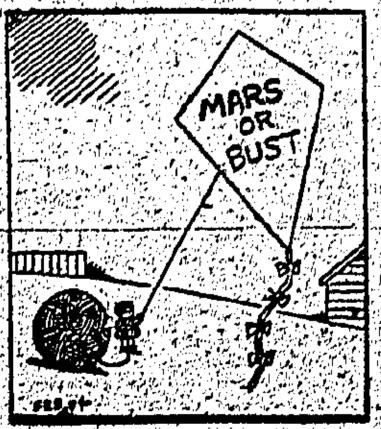
It will help to build a 640-foot tower to carry the transmitting aerials for the BBC's new television station.

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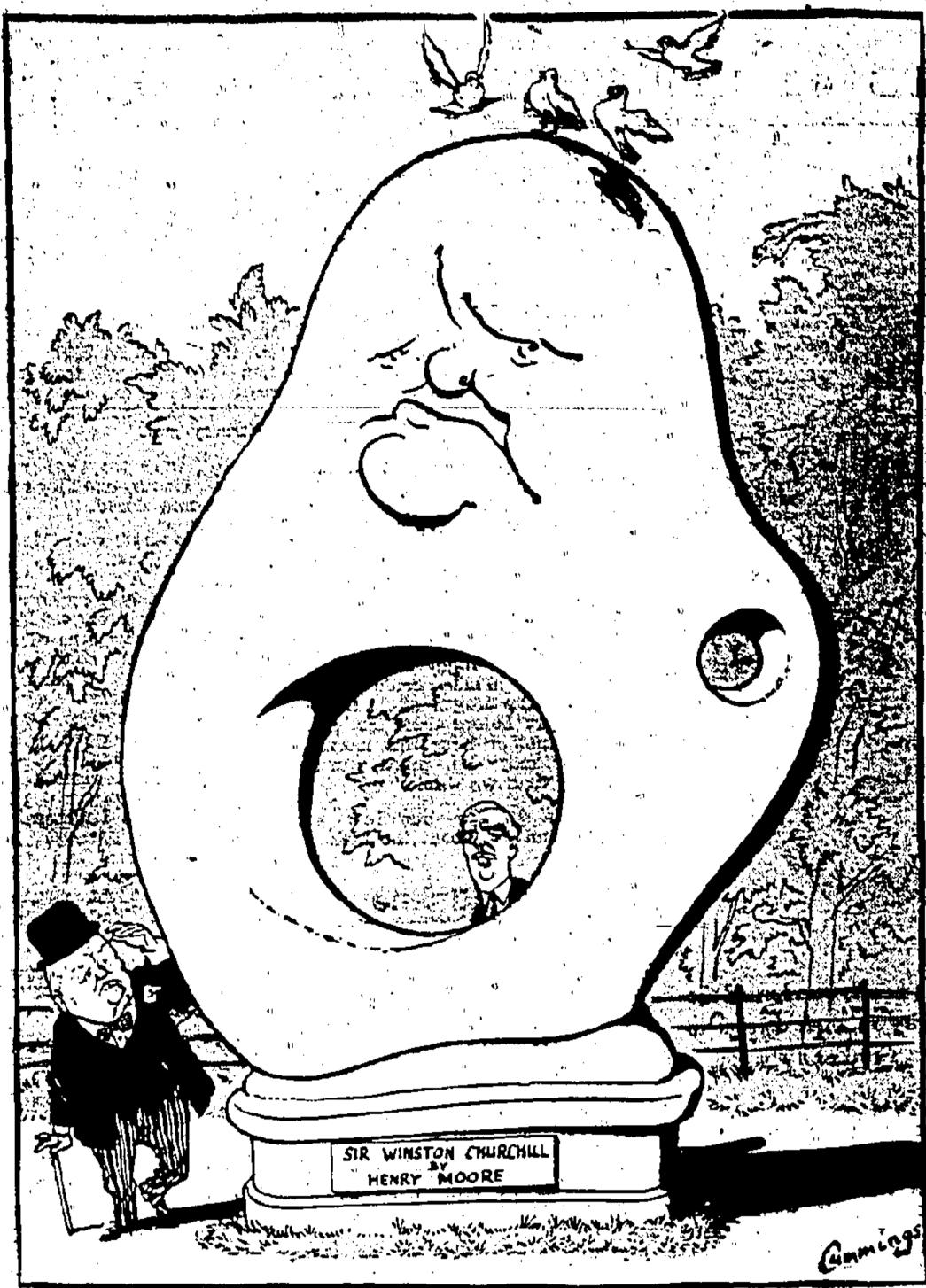
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The worst of retirement is that they'll start putting up statues of him.

#### Ferber Wilson

overcrowding New York's Black crammeo nearly pussons ranging in shade pale coffee to ebony

It is a district of constant surprises and the first surprise that greets the visitor is that Harlem is more blatantly. American than even the Bowery. This in spite of the fact that nearly one-half of its population is foreign bown. tion is foreign born. The numerous types in Harlem

sentatives from most of Africa's at his expense. countless tribes, negroes from Moreover, negro consumers the Antipodes, from the Carib— do not believe that a coloured bees, from Asia. South America merchann can run his business and from every other spot where as well as a white one, and that coloured folk are found. Yet few if the negro consumer patronises immigrant negroes fail to ape his own race he will be fobbed strive to be all-American.

#### Hotch-potch

quick emotionalism of the negro ly, and send their children to is responsible for many sudden the universities. They patronise flare-ups. The real American the arts and collect antiques.
negro looks down on the im- Their clothes are made on Fifth
migrants as trash and there are Avenue and they frequently negroes are almost equally who saved a little nest-egg are the bankers.

jealous of each other, especially during their lives, money which where shades of colour are in formed the basis of a conpoint. There are some negroes siderable fortune subsequently in Harlem who would be accepted as white in countries not apeculation on trading. After a accustomed to blacks. These few more generations there will hold themselves superior to gray up a class of negro as redarker persons. Every year some mote from work as any scion of these white negroes cut adrift may York's Four Hundred—a from their home ties and magro anistocracy. One more familiar surroundings and "pass" problem for Harlem.

In one thing only has the decision is irrevocable. Harlem, negro of Harlem achieved anythough constantly mimicking thing like balance, and that is

Curiously enough, although Harlem is practically a selfcentred negro community, most of its traders and merchants are white. The average Harlem negro is relugiant to trade with the a merchant of his own colour There are repre- lest the latter should grow rich

their neighbours' imitations of off with an inferior article at a white manners immediately superior price. The total value after landing. With truly mar- of businesses owned and opervellous facility they develop a ated in Harlem by negroes is pride in their foster nation and put at the comparatively small sum of one million dollars.

The wealthy negroes of Har-lem live very expensively and This hotch-potch of negroes is ostentatiously. They have maids never quiet, never peaceful. The and chauffeurs, entertain lavish-

decision is irrevocable. Harlem, negro of Harlem achieved anythough constantly mimicking thing like halance, and that is white modes and manners, is in religion. Gone are the days any negro who "passes."

Self-Centred

Curiously enough, although "Preach it, prother!" The ministers of today are graduates of Harvard and Yble, preaching thoughtful discourses to an admiring audience, while swallowtailed ushers watch the congregation for signs of incipient emotionalism. There are still a few weird sects with strange beliefs, and occasionally there is trouble among their adherents.

#### Cannot Save

Few negroes can save. After payment of rent and living expenses, the average negro throws away any surplus in gambling. American films pic-ture the darkie in his gambling moments as a fervent thrower of dice, but in fact he falls for any kind of a gamble, from horse-racing to clearing house

The latter game is based Off the figures issued daily by the Clearing House of the Stock upwards can be made, and the odds paid are about 540 to one. inevitable clashes between these make trips to Europe.

The chances of picking the right two sections of the community.

Probably their immediate digits are about 1,000 to one, But the true-born American ancestors were Pullman porters so that the only real winners The chances of picking the right

This game is illegal and therefore the more popular. Bets are taken secretly by runners who earn a commission on what they receive. Sometimes nobody finds the correct number and then the banker pays nothing. On other occasions numerous clients discover the magic combination, and then the banker is liable to disappear with celerity.
Probably Harlem's most char-

acteristic feature is the house-rent party. Rents are high, and although tenants let off every available inch of bed space, many are still unable to find the rent when it is due. To raise funds they give -a house-ren (Continued on Page 49, Col. 6)



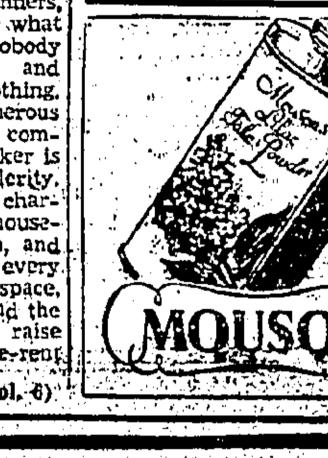
Drink it by itself served cold with a slice of Lemon --- that's Exchange. Bets of one cent and how they enjoy it in France; or, have a Cin and St. Raphael.

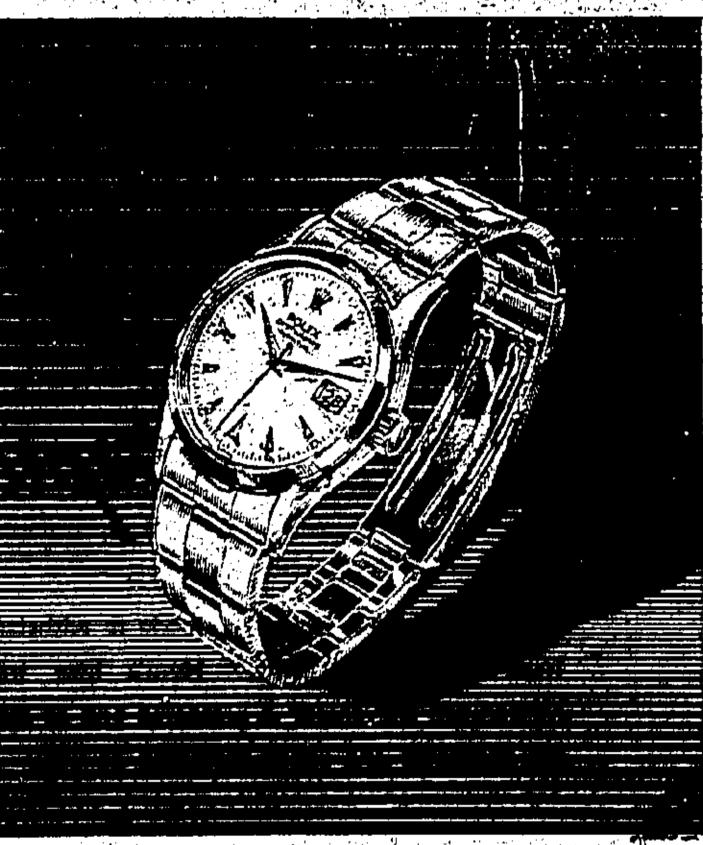
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The mob called the Admiral a coward-but to save the Government?

# THE SHOOTING OF BYNG

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Every Person in the Flect ernment that they planned through Cowardice. to invade England. Negligence or Disaffection, shall in Time of Action withdraw or keep back, or not come into the capture Minorca (eastern-Fight or Engagement: or shall most of the Balearies and not do his utmost to take or midway between Marseilles. destroy every Ship which it shall be his Duty to engage; and to and Algeria) and reduce assist and relieve all and every Port Mahon. of His Majesty's Ships, or those of His Allies, which it shall be his Duty to assist and relieve; every British agent in the every such Person so offending. and being convicted thereof by the Sentence of a Court Martial,

ghall suffer death. -XIIth Article of War. December 25, 1749.

for news of the fate of the the Toulon fleet was destined Cowardly Admiral; on the for America or perhaps other, the King and his Ireland. Government were confident that the signal from Portsmouth would say he was guilty. It meant shooting an admiral as a scapegoat, but the Ministry would save its face and stay in power.

Aboard H.M.S. St George at Portsmouth the President of the Court Martial, Vice-Admiral Smith, picked up some papers, looked at the Honourable John Byng, Vice-Admiral of the Blue, sometime Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean, and started reading.

#### Object: Minorca

miral Viscount Torrington, Mediterranean. Byng was was a round-faced, untidy given the command. man. In 40 years of un-spectacular, steady service in the Royal Navy he had risen to the rank of admiral captains forming the court As a sailor he was a capable martial heard the evidence.

land and France had been building up in America: both countries had been sending troops and materials across the Atlantic in readiness. But even before the Admiralty's outbreak of the Seven-Brog; the danger was, in all Outpreak of the Seven Day of the French pass—done the job with a handful dealth from the good severity by a platoon of Marines. The Years' War—on March 17. probability of the Mediterranean of old ships.

1756—the French succeeded through the Straits But If an But Byps hadn't smoshed the of which be falls under, and death astounded even those that in feeling the British Gov. attack was more on Clippallar French.

In fact, they intended to

So, despite reports from area that the great French fleet-known to be concentrating at Toulon-was aimed at Minorca, the Duke of Newcastle's Government LL England waited kept the Fleet in Home eagerly for the ver- Waters. The Duke and dict. On one hand Charles Fox, his Secretary of the mob clamoured State, were convinced that

Byng-murder, or justice!

However, Fox caused small squadron of reputedly the worst (and far from fully-manned) ships in the John Byng, son of Ad- Fleet to be sent out to the

Starting on December 28 the four admirals and nine

and cautious man, short of In London the politicians gossiped at their clubs and in self-confidence but not courtine House, Charles Fox—runtage.

ning with the hounds at last A quarrel between Eng. after years in Opposition was easy for him since most of the blame should have rested on his shoulders. Newcastle felt there was nothing to worry

- The court martial heard the

means in his power for its

Fort St Philip.

On May 19 he was off Port Mahon and sent in three frigates" to get in touch with General Blakeney, besieged in Fort St Philip. A French squadron hove in sight before they could get near enough and Byng, fearing they would be cut off, recalled

The ever-fickle wind dropped away and the two fleets could not get to grips until next day. The French, adopting a defensive role, had left Byng to windward; and at 2 p.m. he had made the signal to bear down. Several of his ships, did not get—or ignored—the signal.

#### Into Confusion

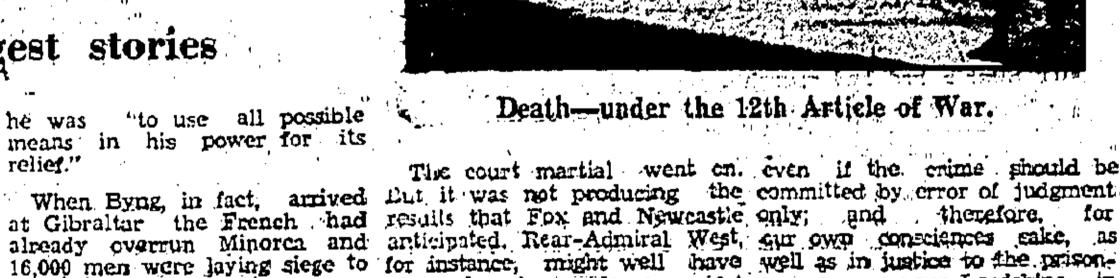
The van under Rear-Admira West, did in fact bear down as ordered and engaged at very close quarters; but the rear under the Commander-in-Chief Byng, had been thrown into confusion after the Intrepid lost her topmost and fell back the ships astern. They had to collisions, thus separating West

West's vessels were so battered shot to death, that they could not continue the

During the night—with the wind still very light—the two opposing squadrons separated. Their verdict added that by Byng spent the next four days the evidence of Lord Robert refitting, and called a council of war of his captains.

They discussed the Admiralty's

studied to bring it about Having Countissioners of the Admirally But at down on March 14, refused to send a large fleet that they were dispressed in 1767, admiral Byng was led out to smash the French of Toxion, finding ourselves upday a peces- on deck aboard H.M.S. Montit waited to hear that Byng had sity of consistanting a marily arque at Fortsmouth and shot done the job with a harriful death, from the great severity by a platoon of Marines. The



cut: instead of continuing to Government was shaken by shout for Byng's life near-acquittal of Byng and the rage at the Ministers especially friends were cutraged because

Then came the court mar-

In the hushed cabin, on a grey January day, Vice-Admiral Smith read the court's

They found that Byng idia

not do his ultmost to relieve St. Philip's Castle; and also that during the engagement between His Majesty's Fleet under command and the fleet of the French king on the 20th May last, he did not do his utmost ito take, seize and destroy the ships of the French king, which it was his duty to have engaged, and to assist such of His Majesty's ships, which it was his duty to have assisted; and War, upon which Admiral do therefore unanimously agree, Byng's sentence is founded (acthat he falls under part of the cording to my understanding of 12th Article ... and as that its meaning) that every person Article positively prescribes who shall in time of action This had left West's few ships death without any alternative withdraw or keep back, or not unsupported and they were left to the discretion of the come into the fight, or shall not riddled with shot. By the time court, the court do therefore do his utmost, etc., through Byng had sorted out the con- hereby unanimously adjudge the motives of cowardice, negligence fusion among his own ships, said Admiral John Byog to be or disaffection, shall suffer

## Recommendation

Bertie, and other officers of the under the letter, or description, ship who were near the person of the 12th Article of War; it of the Admiral, that they did may be said that negligence is not perceive any backwardness implied though the word is not

given damning evidence against er, we pray your Lordships, Byrg. But he spoke in his the most carnest mancer. recommend him to His Majesty's was clemency."

the story came Everyone was appalled. simed some of their strong plea for clamency. Bying's Newcastle, Fox and Hardwicke, to them an error of judgment was not a criminal offence.

> An immediate appeal was made to the King questicating the legality of the sentence. George II passed it on to a panel of 12 judges who prondunced it

#### . He Refused

that the warrant for the execution had to be signed by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. One of them. Admiral John Forbes, refused

... The 12th Article o death: the court martial does, in express words, acquit Admiral Bung of cowardice, and disaffection; and does not name the

does not, as I conceive, fall resolutions seemed to warrant marks of dear or confusion but that would not have brought this marks of dear or confusion but that would not have brought this at him leaving Minorca to its fate. That he seems wasting his offence under the 12th Article of that his agreed with Byng's decision that not seem wasting an pertaip agreed with Byng's decision that he count wasting and from other is expressly acquitted him of cowardice or disaffection, and he circumstances, the court do not These crimes, besides crimes besides crimes believe that his miscounted which are implied only, and are been waiting for a great vic- arcse either from cowardice or but named, otherwise the court marital would not have brought this offence under the 12th Article of War, having acquitted him of cowardice or disaffection, and he except that his miscounted which are implied only, and are been waiting for a great vic- arcse either from cowardice or suspicion, and private opinion; our Newcastle's Government disaffection.

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# CRASH DIE in the NORTH SEA

happened with stupefying suddenness. One moment they were sipping their tea. Thirty seconds later they were in the water. There had been the sound of a thousand milk-cans rattling at once, and smoke and flame had poured from the port engine. They were diving into the sea at 160 miles an

So this was the end of the flight to Norway. The flight that was to find out where the Scharnhorst and the Gneisenau, escaped from Brest, were now lying. Everything was suddenly silent. Cliff—the squadron leader commanding the Beaufort torpedo-bomber-felt the chill water attacking his limbs. Then he saw the yellow dinghy ahead of him; the two gunners already aboard.

..Then

he bowards McDonald, navigator, away to his right, heading direction Miraculously all seemed to have escaped.

But what in hell had happened? He vaguely remembered that they had hit the

must have put out the fire. The sign on the radio, clamped the whole aircraft had disintegrated, key down, grabbed the two In doing so it had thrown up pigeon-baskets, and braced mythe dinghy.

stunned into dumbness. There have drowned." were a hundred questions deanswers, but no one asked them.

#### Grabbed pigeon

CLIFF noticed that Venn was Clutching one of the pigeonbaskets. The pigeon seemed to bearing on us, though. It have weathered the ditching. "How on earth did you get

hold of that?" asked Cliff.

"As soon as I heard the bang and felt we were diving," said

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first. That Venn, "I sent SOS and our callself for the crash. When we hit, the water flooded past me arm was numb, and I found I was floating near, was about their only hope. They Pilot-Officer Tessier and Ser- the aft escape hatch. I still had had no food, as all the food geant Venn, the gunners, helped hold of one pigeon-basket, but containers were stowed in the him up beside, them into the the other one had broken open aircraft, and no one had had pulled in and I couldn't see any sign of time to grab them. All they all the pigeon. I think it must had between them was a packet of malted-milk tablets, two bars of chocolate and a few pellets of

chewing-gum.

the pigeon.

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the first two men to work

said Cliff. He darted an admiring glance at Venn.

"Jolly good work, anyway,"

."How about the SOS? Do you think it was picked up?"

"It should have been," I doubt if anyone had time only seconds and we were

"How far" from base, Mac?" "About a hundred and fifty miles, I reckon."

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The situation looked pretty desperate. Although the sea Stinkie. Now that one had was calm. the temperature was presumably been drowned they only just above freezing. Soon would need to be doubly careful it began to snow. The pigeon get a message securely attached to the second pileon and send it on its way.

feathers saved a crew from death

took the pigeon-basket from Venn. "Is it Winkie or in the crystal night air. Stinkie?" he asked.

"Stinkie."

"Come on, Stinkie," said Cliff "here's your chance to make a name for yourself."

They found a scrap of paper and McDonald and a pencil, wrote down their estimated posi-THERE were two glove-type tion in latitude and longitude rolled the paper into a and and Cliff set up a watch of ten cartridge. Then they took the minutes on and ten minutes off pigeon out of the pannier and for paddling. He had a small rammed the cartridge into pocket-compass, and after conspecial container affixed to the sultation with McDonald he set ring on Stinkie's leg. They made Then he turned his attention to a note of Stinkie's registration number and then released him.

#### Down again

DUT Stinkie had had enough doned. Beaufort M of 42 Squad D flying for one day. He com- ron was reported missing. pleted a circuit of the dinghy and then came in to land on his

shouted, waved their arms Sometimes the flapped its wings and took off momentarily to avoid a lunge from one of the crew. always it settled down again on the edge of the dinghy,

Cliff laughed with the others, but all the time he was thinking of the bleak prospect facing them if Stinkle falled them.

"We've got to get him airborne, chaps," he said. "Come on, wave him off and don't let him alight on the dingby again."

This time they nearly overturned the dinghy in their efforts to get Stinkie airborne. At last he took off again, and efter two unsteady circuits of the dinghhe obediently set course for home They watched him disappear into the darkening sky.

"How long will asked Tessier.

'Pigeons fly at about 40 miles an hour," said McDonald. they make good use of winds and up-currents. I should think three to four hours and he'll be

"I think Winkie and Stinkie member of the National Pigeon come from a loft at Broughty Service, carried out his morning Ferry. That's just north of the inspection of his pigeon-loft. In Tay near Dundee. About the the back of the loft, its feathers Leuchars. He'll be all right." dered how it could have flown

There had been two pigeons there something about pigeons be one of his own. Mr Ross when they started. Winkie and not flying at night?" he asked They remembered that there the pigeon's leg., He was disap-Night fell, and with it

temperature. occasional snow flurries. sometimes the moon watched them, its every feature distinct

They still pinned their hopes on Stinkie. Although he had probably been forced to alight on the sea at nightfall, he would be airborne again by now.

## First to leave

THE previous evening the five Beautorts engaged on the sweep with Cliff and his crew had landed back at Lenchars, in Fifeshire, at varying times beween 630 and seven. Cliff hadbeen the first to leave, but his Cliff's pair. leg of the sweep had been the longest," and it was not until that hope of his return was aban-

In the operations room Leuchars the only clue they had to help them plan a search was Cliff's probable thack. They knew that he had been making for Kristiansand. They knew messages received, that Cliff had set course nor base. What they did not know was the time Clin nad spent sweeping the Skagerrak, and, most importent of all, the fact that he had pressed on south across Skagerrak in the vain hope sighting the German ship.

#### Miles to south

THEY drew a line from Kristiansand to Leuchars direct. This represented Cliff's probable homeward course. They sent a Catalina to search along this track. It searched all night in vain. Cliff and his crew were many miles to the south.

At first light next morning second rescue aircraft. took up the search Hudson. Again without result.

Meanwhile, on a small farm at Broughty Ferry, some 25 miles north of Leuchars, Mr James Ross, master-plumber, on ordent so clogged with oil that he won-"Wasn't closer examination it proved to thing" funny that any bird so covered slowly and imporceptibly bowards

covered in oil," said the naviga- tron they took off their flyingname would a pigeon get oil the tepid warmth of the

"I don't think it's very likely. oil-tankers?' The navigation officer was con-"God instantly. tankeri Suppose released the pigeon when they and when it got dark it spent the night on a passing double the length of its flight an hour before dark last night and another hour this marning. They may be much away than we think."

"It's possible—but" how you find out about the tanker?"

Within a minute the navigation officer, was Rosyth.

"R.A.F. Ops Room Leuchars here. Did you have an oiltanker going north last night?" "Yes, we did. What do you want to know?"

'Can you give me its down position?" thought, maybe more. He went

"Thanks a lot."

moments later he was talking to "James Ross, Broughty Ferry, into the main plotting-room to fix the dawn position of here." he said. "One of my pigeons has come back this It was due east of Broughty Ferry, just inside the morning all wet and oil-stained. 50-mile circle in which the un-One of those, you were using successful search had been made. Registration number 1038. There's

no message on her, I'm afraid. The controller checked squadron pigeon records and confirmed what he had suspected and hopedthat No. 1038 was one NEXI of Squadron - Leader WEEK "Hang on," said the

the station navigation officer. Between us we ought to be able to work out something." Bay of The station navigation officer took over the telephone.

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dingly in their efforts to

get Stinkie airborne.

looked eagerly at the ring on

pointed to see that it was empty.

guessed from its exchausted con-

he said, and added as an after-

the controller at Leuchars.

thought, "Priority call." A few

dition. A hundred miles he

But something of the length

the pigeon's flight could

up the felephone.

controller.

were spread out in front of him. "You say there's no sign of message on this pigeon?'

"How far do you think

'It's hard to say knowing the conditions. covered in oil and that makes it look worse than perhaps really is. I thought at first it must have covered a hundred miles or more, but now I think

about it. I don't see how it can

have flown more than 40 or 50

## Disappointed

sche wouldn't fly at night, and I went up to the lost about an hour and ten minutes after dawn. So she can't have been in the air much more than an hour. She won't have covered more than about 50 miles."

"Right, This'll be a tremendous help. We'll draw a circle of 50 miles radious round Broughty Ferry and concentrate the search

For the next hour, seven Beauforts from Cliffs squadron with Hudsons of Nos. 320 and 489 Squadrons, based at Dyce and Arbroath, combed the area vithout result. The ops-room staff at Leuchars were bitterly isappointed.

"I'll have another word with A few minutes later, as the bedraggled-looking bird which he said the navigation officer. "He daylight began to take, Cliff re- took at first for a stray. On may be able to suggest some-

Mr Ross spoke slowly and deliberately on the telephone, up the telephone. but his mind worked fast.

could fly at all. I can't make that battledress plus fleecy-lined

from?"

#### Should know

Control. They

into the farm-house and picked "I think so." There was a short pause. "Here it is 56.25 North, 02.05 West." "Give me R.A.F. Leuchars,"

They back-tracked the tanker to plot its position at dusk the previous night, and asthey did so the station Army signal unit had vital clue in locating the dinghy.

taken on a short SOS transmission picked up day. This was assumed the station commander. have come from Cliff's aircraft. bearing was of little value by itself, but it was

a useful check, and, more important, it gave them the probable time of ditching and therefore the time when the

pigeon might be assumed to have started its flight. If the bird had escaped from the aircraft at the time of ditching just efter 1635, it would have had less than en hour and a half's dayligh It might perhaps have covered up to 70 miles.

## Back-tracked

FTER explaining the situation

to the station commander they back-bracked the flight of he was carrying for all to see. the pigeon from the dusk posttion of the tanker to 70 miles ch?" he said. "She must have out in the North Sea towards come up again. We haven't make any precise estimate of Winkie." rack, they drew an arc of 70 niles radius from the tanker in the general direction of southern Norway. Then they laid off the Army signal unit bearing until it crossed this arc.

That intersection south of where they should have been if they'd turned for home on time," said the navigation

'So it is," agreed the station commander. "and the thing is built up on supposition. confecture—guesswork, But since all else failed. I think it's worth a try. Which squadron has aircraft

"The Dutch squadron sir now. We could divert them to this position."

The station communder picked

Out in the North Sea Clin You know," ho said, "it's and his crew were drifting muck as this one Scotland. They were finding flying jackets and flying-boots was inadequate protection against about it being the flerce cold. At Cliff's sugges-"Where in heaven's boots so as to dry their socks in

> They were too tired now to One by one they relaxed

was still only 1115 that Netherlands Air Force Hudson spotted them, half an hour after this aircraft had received instructions on the new area of search Leuchars control. The TOD: officer at Leuchers. supplies containing rum, chooslate, water, and cigarettes, and the position radioed dinghy back to Leuchars. An hour later an air/sea rescue Watrus eppeared and touched down 100 yards away. pilot toxied right up to the called out ta and

Wellington P. for Peter of No. 504 Squadron?"

"No," said Cliff, "we're Beaufort M for Mother of 42."

"Terribly sorry, old boy," said the Walous pilot, turning into wind to take off again, "but you're the wrong crew."

## Disgruntled

NOR the next two hours they were a perplexed and somewhat disgruntled crew. But, in .. the meantime, four high-speed: launches had been despatched to pick them up, two from Blyth and two from Aberdeen. One of the launches from Blyth arrived first, picking up Cliff and his crew at 1415, 21 hours 40 minutes after the crash. They were landed at Blyth at 1730 that evening. They were all suffering from exposure and frostbite; and might well not have survived another night;

When they eventually got back to Leuchars they were met by the station commander, the controller, the navigation officer -and Mr James Ross. They with news of a third- had already heard that one of class bearing which an their pigeons had provided the

"Why didn't you put a mesat 1635 the previous sage in the container?" asked

> "We 'did." said Cliff "Didn." The Stinkie still have it?"

"No," said the controller

#### Lot of fun

navigation officer, "we had lot of fun working it out." "Just a moment," said Mr. "Your mentioned Stinkledid you release him all right?" "Yes. He was a bit reluctant to go, but he went in the end,

thank God." "How about Winkie?" "I'm afraid we lost Winkie." said Cliff. "The crash was terribly sudden and; she went down with the ship."

Mr Ross held up the pigeon "Went down with the ship than seen a sign of Stinkie. This is

#### Postseript

QTINKIE never reached his loft and was the only casualty. Winkie, who was an unusually tough bird and had been No. 1 in the National Pigeon Service 1940 breed, was given the Dickin Award (the animal V.C.). She lived another eleven and a half years. dying in August 1953. She was then stuffed, and is now on. view in the Drindee Museum, A few miles from her old loft at Broughty Ferry.

## MANDRAKE THE MAGICIAN







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Concluding: Back-room Boys Of The CID

# HE EXPERI WHO STUDIES BULLETS

## By William Smyly

fired at close cleared, a quiet voice was saying something about "a bullet with every

the sound of a six-shooter want the experience of being deaf for a while, you don't have to visit a Wild West saloon on cow punchers' pay day. "Cowboys tote six shooters in Arizona now only for films, and they buy Cadillacs instead of Palermos" by writing a New York drafts on city bank. New methods get fatter profits out of fatter cattle — and thev're safer.

mark as clear as crystal."

But the chap to see for this old-fashioned experience is Mr F. A. Ewins of the Hongkong who keens a couple of stuffed shooting boxes in soundproof closet opening off his office on the third floor of Police Headquarters.

You can recognise this floor from Queen's Road by looking for Inspector R. G. Griggs's cabinets Identification Bureau at the end. Next to these windows comes the Photographic Section. Dr Pang and his Department of Forensic Science is at the other end. And Mr Ewins comes between.

#### **EVELOCITY**

Although Mr Ewins has been n policeman or worked with the Police Forces in Shanghai and Hongkong since 1928. hls job of Ballistics Officer here is a civilian appointment. He is. in fact, the Hongkong Government expert on guns and explosives.

The small shooting boxes are an example of "gently does it." One of them is filled with cotton waste, through which a child could push a pencil. But with a muzzle velocity of 900 per second, " the bullet hasn't time to work its way politely past the fibres like pencil. Instead it barges through, tying, itself up in a clot of cotton like a bug in a cocoon. .It comes to a stop in about nine inches.

The other shooting box is a pile of corrugated cardboard, and finding the bullet is even easier. You just raise a few sheets, and there it is lying between two of them, stopped within six inches.

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to the Kremlin after

The ghost is that of An-

To see how the stage has been

set for his return-sponsored by

drei Zhdanov, a burly, dark-

haired man with a dandified

like, when speaking."

THE FACTS.

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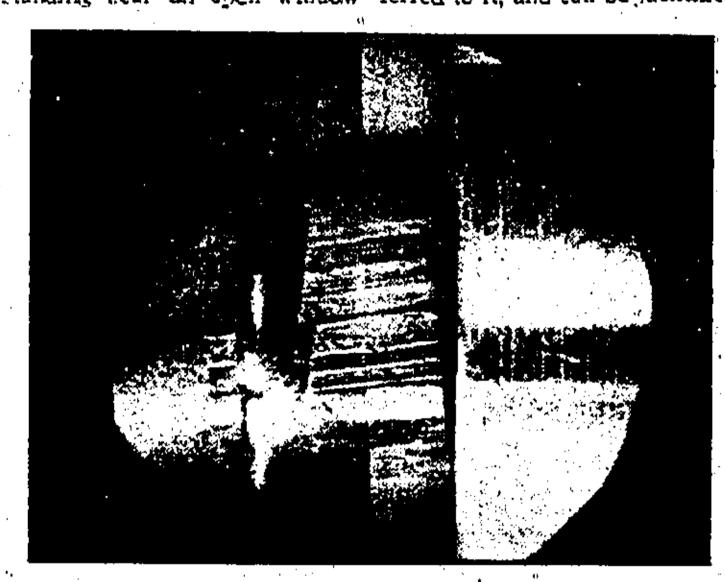
or a sandbag would do as well. made of these methods illusfrom Mr Ewins' records:

. A shot is fired and a man is killed. Mr Ewins is in the first party of experts called to the scene. His job is to work out if he can from what point the shot was fired and what it hit; then make a general guess about what has happened to it and where it may have gone, and then find it.

The reason for this is a cutting. During the war Mr Ewins But the advantage of cotton tool is used to cut the lands and found an opportunity to supply microscopic edge. So if the tool again. is tharpened after, each cut, each cut will have different microscopic scorings,

> Not only this. But the tool is getting blunter during course of each cut—so even begining and the end of each cut will be slightly different under the microscope.

And when a bullet is fired, Perhaps the dead man was this microsecopic secring is transstanding near an open window ferred to it, and can be identified



photographed under the comparison microscope and showing identical marks.

when shot, and the bullet left by the expert without any poshis body on the window side, sibility of error. Police squads are called in to helo search the flower beds and garden. .

case—but the bullet which was found, still lies in a pungcabinet waiting for the pistol. and however corroded it has teristics be changed. become (so long as it can still fire) or if any other bullet is brought in that has been fired from it; the CID will have one more link to work on in an unsolved, crime.

did the killing with a new bullet same gun. fired into his shooting box. The

stopping a bullet. A steel plate to be identical.

transferred to the bullets passing objects four inches apart. through, but they cannot obliterate the old. Only by re-

But even this is not all.

In the case of the killing, referred to the shot was fired from an automatic pistol which has automatic ejection—so the And for the CID no case is cartridge was also found and ever closed—until"it is solved, is in the hands of Mr Ewins. CID back-room boys we do and do no harm, or strike hard For this type of identification And the cortridge too can be not hear of very often. But -finding out if a certain bullet positively identified with the there are many other calls on velocity bullet can lodge in was fired by a certain gun. Mr gun that fired it, or with any his time. He is sometimes tissue or be deflected. Some-Ewics compares the bullet which other cartridges fired by the present in mortuary or operat- times a defective charge can

during its ricochetting flight, propelling explosion presses course which a bullet takes The other is perfect -"a beauti- equally in every direction, inside a body as well as outful bullet". But both will have Cordite, which is normally used side it, and the behaviour of a favourite catch phrase: "Once a the marks made by the barrel for propellent charge, is a bullet. He inspects arms and bullet has been fired no one can through which they were fired. relatively slow-burning ex-ammunition to advise on the tell what is going to happen to Like fingerprints, these marks push. A high explosive like come for disposal the caches after 34 years playing with guns from the man-made grooves in TNT would shatter both bullet of rusty war relies periodically and explosives. gun barrels are also subject to and breech, and probably uncarthed or hauled up from the "infinite variety of nature," propel bits of the firer's hand wells. In cases of guashot

and cardboard is that they stop grooves to any length of barrel, a pasty of Japanese sportsmen the bullet fast, and so gently which is made of high tensile with just such bullets when that it is undamaged. The use steel. The tool is sharpened fre- they were going out on a shoolquently, and each time it leaves ing party near Shanghai. He trated by a fairly typical case the stone it has a different never; heard from the party When slow burning cordite

> explodes, pressure builds up to the breech block and firing pin, marking that with any tool marks there. The sides of the cartridge case expand to fill the down the barrel. blocked only the weapons and charges used. by a lead or nickel-plated bullet just big enough to fit the barrel senl. The bullet is forced down by two tons. Yet bullets react the barrel with a pressure of strangely. Once in Shanghai 2.500 feet per second.

So the base of the cartridge, its walls, and the bullet, all carry permanent identifiable marks of the place where they reached the short sharp climat of their manufactured existence.

#### **ETELL-TALE**

Ewills uses for this kind of near the hole where it had identification is a comparison gone in. microscope-one which you look through with both eyes and work with both hands. In each long ago a weapon was fired hand he twiddles knobs that and is expected to make his arrange position of each bullet deductions from the amount of or case, till he gets"the marks corrosion that has taken place The marks in the barrel made of one to fit so exactly on to since firing, and his knowledge by the cutting tool are part of the marks of the other that a of relevant moisture and temthe permanent features of any stranger would think" he was perature conditions. At firearm. Rust or corrosion can looking at one object instead of time of year Hongkong's moist add new marks, which will be the halves of two separate climate and sea air

When the tell-tale marks might remain bright for is ever brought in however moving the barrel and fitting a have been arranged like this, a month afterwards safe in a dry much it has been used since new one can be the gun's charac- camera fitted to the gadget drawer. swings into place and photographs the result. This is the picture that appears in court to BONFIRE illustrate Mr Ewin's evicence when it is called for.

In fact, however, Mr Ewins

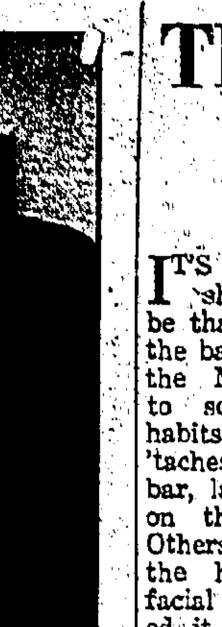
court. He remains one of the ing theatre when bullets "are drop a rifle bullet ten yards in extracted. He advises on the front of a soldier shooting on one may be badly damaged. When a bullet is fired, the probable (or often improbable), the range. plosive and gives a long slow issue of licences. To him it." And that phrase comes There are many ways of it is impossible for two of them further than it would blow the wounds, his opinion is asked Police in 1928, he was battalion \*dust of the shattered bullet. on the range at which the shot shot and weapon training instruc-

microscope. chamber and make a gas-tight may have been fired, which for in the Northamptonshire seal; so these pick up any tool he must judge from "tattoo" Regiment which he joined at his markings that are there. Then marks or deposits of burning home, Brackley, at the age of 17 the only way left for the rapidly powders or ash on flesh or and with which he served for expanding gases to escape is clothing, and his knowledge of seven years.

snugly and make a gas-tight a .45 bullet is like being hit education. between four and 13 tons, and the police captured a desperado consulted by the Chief Officer many former political leaves the muzzle with a in whom they found 14 such of the Fire Brigade before military war leaders having bullets which they had shot licences are issued for com- long since given up its cultivainto him at close range during mercial blasting in Hongkong- ltion.

> doctors were puzzled If blasting is necessary over a suicide in the New the mountainside near Territories more recently in Francis School shortly, where RAF, was due to the shortage of which there were two holes in they are building a new ex- razor blades and the women. a man's chest, but no exit tension, he will not only be Thousands of fine specimens back and no there to see that the school is luxuriated into the peace, ininside. Mr Ewins warned and evacuated. He will cluding the magnificent bloom that there was only also lay the first charge him- reared after long and anxious one bullet which had entered self, and further charges will hours of cultivation by ex-RSM the chest, been deflected, made have to keep to the same size. Reginald Jago, a Shaldon, De-Mr a circuit and came out very

Mr Ewins is the chap who goes years, he developed it from He may also be asked how corrode a barrel within a few amusing too.



Mr Ewins examining bullets under the comparison

To be hit at close range by shoes still betrays an military

Mr Ewins is also the chap company of 604 male a gun battle the previous so he is the one to blame when all your windows get blown in

Station to make a bonfire and into the 12-inch pride of Army destroy a supply of confiscated messes all over the country. fireworks. In some cases where Then tragedy. Last June

# THE BATTLE OF

By J. W. TAYLOR

on the wane in Britain. "handlebar" shape. Others agree that so far as the handlebar variety of facial adornment is concern-Quite a lot of feminine sludents of male habits, however, do not share this view. which is not unnatural when so many of them are still tickled by a moustache. They are unmistakably in favour of the continued growth of the 'tache As one young thing so succinctly put it: . "A kiss from a cleanshaven man is like pork without the crackling or beef without horseradish."

Pointer to the way things are going is the House of Commons. so often a guide to male fashions and foibles. Here of late there has been a gradual decrease in the number of members sport. ing the top lip growth. The most recent census on this disclosed a mere 82 'taches in a

#### WARTIME BOOM

moustaches, particularly in the von, hotelier. With much care And once every few months, and devotion over 13 over to Kewloon City Police mere "toothbrush" specimen

an unauthorised manufacturer practical joker crept up behind has used dangerous materials, him and snipped off two inches factory and seized stocks from the Jago "handlebar". In mousiache, I think it makes doused and the fire- a later County court action, the him look like a spiy; my mother crackers destroyed by "drown-1" assailant" humbly application reckons he could be taken for But normally, if it is for his misdeed and agreed to a bomb-throwing anarchist; my possible to move them - the pay the 'aggrieved Reginald a father says he will never benatural way is not only more sum of money. 'Mr Jago after- lieve the young man's intentions. effective, it is so much more wards said: "This has set me are honourable...."

going to be a closa bition to join the Handlebar Longest postwar 'tache was a be that the girls will sway 37-inch affair Masudiya Din, of the balance in the Battle of Bombay, had taken Il years to the Moustache. According grow, He wore it in a coll to some experts of male round his ears and down his habits, the wartime boom in cord was established in 1931 by 'taches - handlebar, cross- Ahir Desur Arian, of Kathiawar, bar, large and small \_ is Ladia, with his 68-inch growth, usually worn furled in a deep

But whatever the signs that the male face of Elizabethan England is becoming cleanshaven, the famous Handlebar ed, it may linger yet longer, Club continues to admit new but they have their doubts, members whose top-lip "bloom" conforms to certain club standards as to shape, length and texture. Beards are out. The club was formed in 1947 from an idea that originated in the RAF in wartime. Two of its leading spirits are stage and radio star Professor Jimmy Edwards and BBC sports-commentator Raymond Glendenning. Each year a panel of judges awards a cup and the title Handlebar" "Prime to whose moustache is member Diggest and best.

#### THE "PRIME"

Reigning "Prime" is 45-yearold Glasgow portrait painter. John Roy; whose elegant ginger moustache sweeps a goodly 1614. inches.

'Jimmy handlebar "tache stretches eight" inches from tip to tip, sounded an eminous note as fo the future of the moustache when bemoaning the fact-that " this accursed thing" clogged the flow every time he had a "cuppa" or got soaked in the suds when he lowered a pint. He was all for having it off, but it has become so much his trade mark now that he fears "the fury of his fans were he to razor it. This is in contrast to Hollywood actor, Frank Morgan, who insured his grey moustache and wavy hair for £2,500. His policy calls for a regular trim of both growths by a skilled and responsible hairdresser. Meanwhile, two girls write to

from a moustache I was thrillwrites one. The other says: "My flance has grown a

back three years in my am- . The Baitle of the 'tache is on!



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# By JOHN ATKINSON

A GHOST HAUNTS THE KREMLIN

more than two years more sign that the new with whom he had worked ladder of prestige. rulers of Russia, Comclosely for 20 years.

munist Party chief Krushchev and Premier Bulganin, are preparing to put ex-Premier Malenkov on trialpossibly for treason, "poswith the power that position murder, and perhaps for gives over Russia's 200 million

flash of teeth and a trick of Zhdanov was Georgi Malenkov, extending one hand, Caesara Kremlin secretary and Zhdanov's junior both in age

Now comes the first tensation.

Moscow Radio and to sense the terror this spectre could strike While the rest of the world his friends ... just look at 1948 about the swift brilliance Handsome Andrei "Zhdanov nounced "with great sorrow" there: "The arrests were a was appointed by Stalin to run that Zhdanov had died "after mistake. The charges against And the next day, February 8 the civilian side of Leningrad's a long and sorious Alness." Its the doctors were false. Their Malenkey admitted his "guilt

under the military command of ed. Marshal Leonid Goveroy. Nowelt was Malenkov's turn strictly forbidden by law. The Nikolai Bulganin.

Later, sa Soviet culture chief, io soar. Stalln made him a guilty persons have been ar- And this political warrior on March 20 last. A heart

all-out regimentation of artists, admired his card-index memory. They included security chief tellectuals on the tough, anti- sor. Poker - faced Malenkov underlings, M. D. Riumin and

THE FACTS vault forward to Under the old dictator's January 13, 1953. Early that guidance and protection, the star morning Moscow, startled the of Zhdanov ros until he was world by announcing that nine Soviet Union. Communist Party regarded as Stalin's chosen heir doctors, including the Kremlin to the Premiership and his auto- medical chief, Professor. P. I. matic successor as Party chief- Yegorov, had been arrested and killing . Andrei Zhdanov giving him the wrong drug,

> They also admitted plotting to a liquidator. kill Marshal Goyarov, Zhdanov's wartime commander, said Moscow, and it branded the dectors as British agents.

In less than two months Stalin had died from a stroke. enemies -came into THE At once Malenkov succeeded FACTS just two months ago. him as Premier and took full power. And inside a further. On February 7. Colonel month the nine doctors were Serov was given a Cabinet seat

Wembley, the Kremlin an Soviet newspaper, Pravda, are Court which tries traitors. obtained by the Ministry of Prime Minister, Krushchev

musicians, writers and in- and groomed him as his succes- Lavrenti Beria and two of his the headlines since the "doctors" Western line dictated by Stalin, moved with precision up the Victor Abakumov. Malenkov

> But working against hlm was the toughest adventurer in the chief Nikita Krushchev.

seemed safe.

man with a territying record as

freed. Malenkov must certainly as Ministry of Security\_in decrees? into the hearts of Malenkov and was talking in the summer of have had a hand in that, charge of the secret police. The same day, seven new judges of the Olympic Games at THE FACTS as given by the were appointed to the Supreme doctors eld, his old, rival,

defence in World War Two. nature has never been explain- testimony and admissions were and mistakes" and resigned as Govarov? Security through methods named his successor. Marshal Zhdanov was responsible for the senior secretary in the Party rested?

Zhdanov, whose ghost now returns to the Kremlin scene and peers quizzically at Malenkov. Zhdanov's name had not made

Bullets can make a bad flight

in the air, and strike sideways.

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a man as clean as a rifle barrel

tissue and blow up. A low

Before joining the Shanghai

ploi" in January, 1953. But now Moscow Radio is starring had all of them shot. Then he him for his part in drafting some of the sharpest points in the Communist Party constitu-

processing the election of Krushchev it was who tamed officials by secret ballot andthe rebellious. Ukraine after this point is stressed by radio World War Two. He was help-" speakers the strict method of ed by Colonel Ivan Seroy, a dealing with the affairs of Party members," Malenkov has not been

> is presumably, still a Party member. But THE FACTS and Zhdanov's ghost pose these Are Party chief Krushchev and Premier Bulganin prepar-

> in public since March 22. He

And will the ghost be silent witness at a purge court in which Majericov is socused of murdering, with the

ding to " !deal : 'strictly" with

Zhdanov, and the (val'am Marshat Leonid Goverov, Zhdenove wartine

# PERFORMANCE

E slumped in the corner. miserable as Bernard in the tropics.

Gladys, giving him his pint, night. Trouble at home again?"

be nagged by his wife and yet laugh sometimes; still raise a smile occasionally; but when a worthless separately, either. lout of a brother-in-law is also a permanent resident --well!

coming here of an evening," three girls, there were - all he told the sympathetic Gladys.

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"Welli" declared the barmaid, tossing her blonde curls. "That's a bit thick I must say: only little spot of pleasure your get-you ought to stick up for yourself, Mr P. Teil them a He nodded. A man can thing or two. Coming. sir ...,"

He watched Gladys go to the he other end of the bar. All very can even have his mother- well to talk; take a good man in-law living with him and to fight three at once. And in his heart he knew perfectly well he couldn't" tackle them

> Sipping his pint he glanced around. The place was almost empty except for the party by don't like me the window. Four men laughing and chattering in high spirits. Mr Pendrake nodded in their direction.

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going to the show Mr P?" He shook his head.

"Mabel's not very fond of circuses. She says they're sides, she can't stand the noise."

slightly because of the hubbub coming from the table in the window. But while he was speaking it appeared 'everyone had: decided to drink the same time. Mr Pendrake's last few words rang clearly through the public bar

For a moment, it was very. very quiet. The party by

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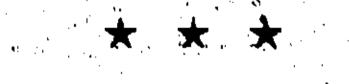
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the "Circus, window turned and stared at Bit boisterous for him. Then the heavily-built eight oclock; I must say," man who had choked over his Gladys eyed them coldly. MYou beer, set his glass down with a crash, and wiped his lips with the back of his hand. Slowly," he got up. Mr Pendrake watched his approach with some misgiving. The man was nasty smelly things, and be- least six feet tall and very broad. And his expression

> "And 'oo, may I ask, can't stand the noise?"



attitude in front of Mr Pendrake who, for the moment, was speechless.

"Complainin' weren't you? About me and my friends? you don't like the sound of voices you know what

Glayds intervened quickly. "He wasn't talking about you," she declared hotly. "It's his wife-she-"

circus assumed a pained pression. "And 'oo asked to chirp up, blondie-'e can talk for 'imself, can't 'e?".

MOST FASCINATING CITIES "Just a minute." in sudden "Don't you talk Gladys or I'll--'

"Or you'll what?" asked the big man.

But Mr Pendrake didn't reply. He couldn't-because a burly fist had grabbed his shirt the neck and twisted it so that his collar stud pressed into his windpipe. He felt as were being raised in the Never had he been so helpless.

"That will do!"

The words cut across the silence like the lash of a whip. Mr Pendrake found himself lowered on to his stool with a bump.



THE door swinging shut behind **1** him the newcomer strode across and stood by Mr Pendrake, who watched, amazed, the change in the big man's attitude.

manded the figure at his side, this delicious moment. "And take your friends with" with a sudden heave, he tipped Go on, get out. You'll the chair forward. Percy hear more of this.".

The big fellow started to say something, changed his mind. positively slinking, thought Mr you can have it." Pendrake, straightening his tie. He began to mumble his thanks, but the other cut him short.

"I must apologise. It's people like that, that give the Circus a bad name. They think because they bang in a couple of tent pegs, they own the earth. I'm very sorry it happened."

Mr Pendrake was taking in I'm sick of the sight of you." the details of his benefactor. He's not much taller than I em. he thought. But his shoulders Bronstein, terror of the lions.

"You're a lion breathed Gladys, wide-eved. "My! You ought to get a tew tips, Mr P. Preps you could tame those relations of yours."

The Great Bronstein looked interested.

made my life a misery, they did. Then one day, I made the today he did. The startled girl the train left for San Francisco, decision; I'd show them I was was ordered to produce the pro- an accordionist strummed away mester in my own house. Put my foot down hard—and there's been no bother since." There was a pause.

"Of course," began Mr Pendrake, "it's easier for you. mean, being a lion-temer

slightly.

"I wasn't then. But if you can deal with in-laws you can tackle lions. It's much the same sort of thing. Make up your mind to be boss that's the secret. You could do it.?

As the Great Bronstein talked swiftly, convincingly, a great Pendrake. A world in which his word was law; where Mabel and her Mother and that good for nothing Percy sll trimbled before his gaze, hurried to do his hidding.



opened the dining-room almost laughed. speciacles and drumming fingers on the cover of book; and Percy - that ing to look up at all.

He went in.

'I've been with friends The Lion." Mr Pendrake spoke firmly but kindly. "Any objec-

"Yes. We 'ave keeping up all hours-"

"Of course, if you don't the arrangements here, you can

"Henry!" gasped

"Drunk, more like it." Percy rustled the newspaper. "I can't concentrate with all this row

Mr Pendrake moved stood behind the armchair. He paused, savouring

"I don't like violence," nounced and turned away. Why, he's calmly, "But if you want it,



struggled to free himself of the kerb and fire tongs.

He squar d his shoulders. They looked surpisingly broad looked powerful and he carried in their proper position. In the himself well. There was an air hushed silence that followed, of authority about him. Most he turned on his heel; and noticeable of all were his eyes walked unhurriedly from the -very blue, very intense. His room. That night, he dreamed name, "it appeared, was Bron- of-well-behaved lions sitting in stein, billed as the Great his dining-room; they were discussing the Great Pendrake ...

motion he caused in the restaurant. Day in, day out, the American doibles. But he did "In-laws? Ah, I've had that same waitress put a plate of with such an obvious good heart cold soup in front of him. He'd that everyone was delighted. never complained before. But At the railway station, before prietor, and when he came Mr and sang. "Cockell and muscles... Pendrake told him all the things rlive, alive oh." he'd wanted to say for years. The sports writers agree Don about cold soup. It was all is a grand lad. They still think very satisfactory.

> Going home in the bus, he where the fight takes place unfolded the evening paper. "'Ere," protested the

"Of course. Now listen

new world dawned before Mr

Helfway through his second pint, he was suddenly vinced he could do it. . . .



THE downstair lights were on, as he let himself in. When door, the scene was so familiar glancing up sharply from her knitting: Mother-in-law squinting daggers over the top of her Percy - in Mr Pendrake's navy's land. Beyond a grimt favourite armchair, reading the evening paper and not bother-

Mabel stared. Her mother recovered first.

"You know where your bedroom is, don't you? Ought to, you've been here long enough."

He cracked the whip.

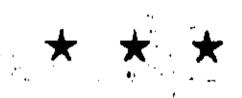
Round One to me, he thought

always go elsewhere, can't you? I'll look up the trains."

"Have you gone mad?"

going on."

with a clatter into the fireplace.



"Tomorrow," said the aggres- \\T/HETHER he wins or store." sor, "you can get out of here.

In the morning, he ate the breakfast Mabel put before him in masterly silence. He left the house without saying goodbye. The day went well - he was particularly pleased at the com-

navy sitting on the inside seat, has become a sort of shop as- make public the priest's name.



"Don't flap that paper in

Mr Pendrake turned head and looked full at him, with an expression that might have belonged to the Great Bronstein himself.

"If you'd occupy half the seat instead of three-quarters of it, the situation wouldn't arise."

He epoke charly and slowly The navy avoided his eyes.

"Sorry, chum," he muttered, making great efforts to compress his bulk.

Mr. Pendrake returned to his colonial territories depends, newspaper. A headline caught of course, on which party his tys; he read the paragraph, wins. under it—once, twice . . .

A sudden lurch of the him unawares. swayed awkwardly into the big man made no protest.

"I-I'm terribly sorry," gasped that there will be no change Mr Pendrake. "I do apologise.

"S'all right mate." said navy, eyeing him uncertainly. He was about to say more, but Mr Pendrake had risen hastily but because that is where and was gone.

sidled to his place at the table. back to the Exchequer, this His shoulders drooped, his face would leave the Foreign Secresettled into gloomy grooves. He taryship or the Ministry of gave the evening paper to Defence for Mr. Grifflins. Percy as he always did.

Mabel cleared her throat.

ing—" she began ру Mabel for Mother to travel just you know how ill she is

> Pendrake. Percy. "You know the circus!

that's here? Nasty business this after his defeat in 1950. As it authority con colonial affairs. morning. Lion-tamer mauled. was, he was "in the wilderness". And if Labour gets in, Dord Interviewed at the hospital the for four years. Great Bronstein said 'It's all a game of bluff. There's bound

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to be a day of reckoning. You whether a Labour Colonial can only get away with it for Secretary came from the right or the left wing. At one time

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By Frank Robbins

Thistrict Attorney Donald:

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liave they are nearing the goal.

treasury

undersell natural rubber.

# LABOUR BACK

By A Special Correspondent

Whether Britain's next Prime Minister is Sir Anthony Eden or Mr Clement Attlee, one of his most momentous early decisions must be choosing a Colonial Secretary. For this one-time "backwater" post has of recent years become one of the most vital and closely scrutinised of all Cabinet jobs. If the Conservatives are returned at the next General Election the chances are largely "no change." But if

Labour wins. Here, in a series of two articles, a Special Correspondent reviews the possibilities.

London. Mr "Nye" Bevan was credited RITAIN will have a with colonial aspirations, and if General Election on to produce an illusion of unity to produce an illusion of unity year, within the Party he will doubtless claim high office as his reward. But the Colonial Office today

attracts the limelight, and if Mr Attlee could stow Mr Bevan If the Conservatives come away where he would make least trouble he would certainly bus back again — and the recent County Council Much more likely, if Labour tions point to the lines got in is that the Colonial | which the country is think- Secretaryship would go to a "safe" man, unlikely to raise ing — it is safe to assume difficulties by extreme policies. It is noticeable that, on more

in the Colonial Secretaryship. Mr Lennox-Boyd will stay where he is, not only because he has done well his heart is.

But if Labour springs a surprise, what then?

It is generally assumed at that Westminster their Griffiths will move a step higher quietly in the Labour Party. And since and Mr Gaitskell would certainly go-

his be vacant. A seemingly suitable more candidate would be ex-Colonial by no means an extremist. She impossible | Secretary, Mr Arthur Croschis at heart a Welsh Radical of yet, Jones. His knowledge of colonial affairs, alone fits him for the old school. this task. But it is doubtful if "Of course, dear," said Henry his Party leaders will consider this qualification enough for the more-Mr Rees-Williams as he was when Under-Secretary of job. For had he been considered key man in the Party he State for the Colonies speaks for his Party with undisputed would have been found a seat

Ogmore will probably bid for

one, of the political governordepend on ships of which he has been so strong an advocate. If a minor post for the colonies is to go to a peer then the Earl of Lucan will be in the running. At least this ex-

than one occasion recently, the

lead in colonial debates has been

entrusted to Mr Arthur

Bottomley, who is regarded as

"sound" by his colleagues, and

"reasonable" by his opponents.

Certainly many of his own

people believe he is being

"groomed" for the Colonial

Office when his Party gets back.

Certain Starter

For one of the junior posts in

the Colonial Office, James Johnson is a certain starter,

always provided he keeps his

seat at Rugby, on which his hold

is pretty tenuous. And failing

him, the office might have its

first woman : Under-Secretary in

Mrs Eirene White who

Though "left-inclined" she is

In the Upper House Lord Og-

specialises in

Guardec will not stray very far from what is safe and It is a fair assumption, then, that a Labour team at the Colonial Office would represent the "middle of the road" group.

#### anything. Free Hand

with a trend to the right,

It is true that in the last few years, especially after the serious rift among the Socialists was first disclosed, there has been little attempt by the men at the top to check the colonial policy criticisms from the extreme left.

-But it is one thing to give the outside wing a free hand in opposition, quite another to let the 'wild men' loose when they sit on the Government's Front Bench. And Mr. Attlee and those who would help him that in a 1ew years they will choose a Cabinet are far too free America from dependence shrewit to entrust a portfolio on the Far East for natural rub- like the Colonies to one who by developing a synthetic might land the Party in serious rubber which will outwear and difficulties through an extreme and provocative policy. For if there is one lesson to be learned from the last few years. It is that the Colonial Office is now one of the most explosive posts

It would not be impossible today, in fact, for a government attorney—but he refused to of Britain to fall through the name the criminal. The robber mismanagement of a colonial had repented and handed over situation

I in the Cabinet.

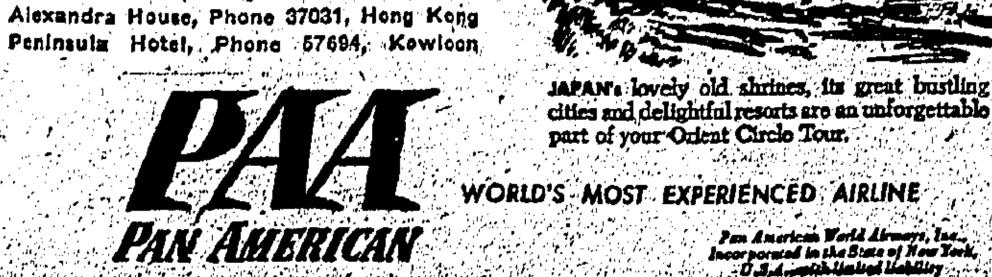
To be continued on Monday)

## JOHNNY HAZARD





...this situation calls for a







# WEEK-END WOMANSENSE

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# Unique Bolero To Accompany New Spring Bonnets Have Fancy ==

# Trimmings

By Dorothy Barkley

ONDON is waking up from a long, cold and miserable winter and putting on her Sunday best for Spring. Window boxes everywhere going gay, daffodils and tulips out in the parks. Shops look livelier, "huy-something-new for-Spring" displays.

This is not entirely for our own benefit, of course. For this is the time of year when our overseas visitors -you recognise them by the cameras slung over their shoulders and by the sun tan — begin to arrive in town. They see the sights, shop for souvenirs, look up old friends. But there's always something new to look for, too.

New restaurants, for instance. So many have sprung up since the end of food-rationing that

bar complete with creeping flowers make the trimmings, and plants, hanging ivy, venetian are held in place by a few blinds, bamboo coat stand, stitches. They are easily primitive pottery sculpture, and changed to go with different sunny Italian scenes painted on outfits. the walls.

Perhaps a more rsubtle symbol of Spring is seen in fashion. First comes the bonnet. This



Left: A black straw boater trimmed with roses and fine black veiling. Right: A white straw "saucer" hat trimmed with tropical fruit.

there's something to suit every- year there's a craze for home- pale coloured, with beige and skirts; with round necks, unone—in decor, as well as diet, made hats, and with the small pink topping the list.

belted waists but darted to fit You can have a French fish soup half-hats of current fashion this. They come in a variety of like a second skin; with bertha served in colourful surroundings is easier than it sounds. Most styles, with wide scooped neck- collars, cap sleeves and buttons of tangerine walls and Edwardian of them follow the same basic lines, short sleeves and straight to below the waist, posters; a pineapple drink in a principle, and consist of a small Cuban atmosphere (with toucans triangular shaped crown, held in caged in the background); or a place by wired ear pieces. continental pastry in an Italian Jewelled brooches, fruit or

> For those who don't claim to be a second Aage Thaarup, there are plenty of hats of the two illustrated here. They are saucer shaped, sit straight on top of the head. Trimmings which may be quite unusual, are

small black straw boater has Try to see it from a completely and waited. Would the 20 two roses mounted on a long detached point of view, as a seconds ever end? We peered stem, a narrow white ribbon and dramatic critic looks at a new in the mirror. We looked just fancy veiling. The white straw play. After all, you are a year hat, with rolled edges, has different woman from the one green clasps to secure it to your who picked those fabrics the Here is where you choose fabrics bunches of tropical fruit.

Newly arrived in Londonand just the thing for visitors from hot countries—is the tweed street dress-and by that I don't mean the thick Harris tweed there are certain guideposts: variety. The new tweeds, all Further along the street and Eritish, are lightweight and su that they give warmth scale is emother new idea for without overheating. They are

mixed with home-rendered lard will help keep the lard fresh. It range of colour, the blues, greens, takes two pounds of shortening greys.

When refinishing a piece furniture with carved woodwork, try this. Use steel wool in taking the finish off attach a length of the wool to the gunarry side of wide adhesive tape, then pull the wool back and forth across the curved

For left on skin by adhesive tape.

Spontaneous ignition can result, a For safety, place such rags in a For a taste treat, try braised nushrooms. Slice 1/2 pound

mushrooms, add two tablespoons. boiling; water, 11/2 tablespoons butter or other table fat, and She sat and cook five minutes. Serve

of the kitchen garbage pail will Off along to Piccadilly Circus at a cocktail party looking a help keep it dry and clean.

A good cleaner for washable walls and painted woodwork is monis, 1/2 cup vinegar and 1/4 cup baking soda to one gallon



## Balance Patterns And Solids When Choosing Fabrics

becoming

People often ask me where to entirely optional, depending on how far you are prepared to enter into the Spring atmo-sphere.

start in re-decorating a room which has grown all too familiar in its current dress. I always tell them:

"Walk into the room as the you had never seen it before. head, and is decorated with last time. You're wiser. You've for sheer curtains, for slipcovers seen more. Put this acquired knowledge to work."

## Colour Main Guide

To help select new fabrics, colour, pattern, texture, in that order. And the one that will do most for the room is colour.

The size of the room, and the amount of smlight, help to determine a change. Every room should have a sense of spaciousmess... one way to achieve it if the room is small, is to keep draperies and walls the same solid colour.

If a room is flooded with sunlight all day, select from the cool

If it is dark, then go to the bright end of the colour scale: the yellows, reds oranges...and today's special darling, pink. Your key colour will be at new your windows, for in general, drapery fabric is the first to be chosen. Will it be a flowery

New York, pattern? Large in scale or a ready-made variety. To show that there is something extra fabrics this spring, and the other prints needed for 8 the room, Here, too, a guide is stranger in your own available in any well-decorated room, this good, safe percentage will give restfulness withou clashing patterns:

belted waists but darted to fit

One patterned fabric should be about 30 per cent of the total amount of the fabric used. One or more plain fabrics, 55 per One striped fabric, 10 per One tone-on-tone dabric or a small print co-ordinated with the large floral, 5 per cent.

Science Comes To Aid And now for the textures and upholstery, and for the brilliant flashes of accent colour that are the room's crowning glory. Here, the beautiful and the practical fabrics go hand-inhand. Science has been good in providing beauty that washes. charm that is durable, and fragile appearance with an iron

constitution. It's the modern miracle this particular springtime that homemaker can choose testtube artistry in fabrics of stamina, even to the glitter of their metallic threads. The newest of today's finish is silicome that helps make your fabric water-repellent, mildewproof and sun-resistant; and milium that insulates it against heat and cold. Look at the new fibregias, fortisan, orlon, dacron and nylon, each contributing its own special advantages to the long life, the easy handling and the beauty of

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#### By Anne Edwards and Drusilla Beyfus London. T/HAT went on in our Y world during the Big Silence? Plenty. In a million ways the London scene moved on. . . . First, the shape of women

For the A-line

girl caught on, and the

Girl With a Waist began to

Everywhere you heard women

"Imagine me in the A-line," they

said. But the shops we canvassed

reported: "They ask for it. They

try it. And they buy it."

uptake of a new fashion.

bers into my shops."

Along Oxford

gloves for summer in

spotted all these:-

shantung in clear

and yellows.

to buy.

SPLASH!

Around the shops

London shops we can report

the problem of white

for summer in town.

They are cool and cotton and

As every, white-cotton-glove-

wearer knows, two cheap pairs

one super-pair waiting to be

Striped skirts, blue striped on

white perfect for wearing

around the house with a cotton

they have never

about the A-line.

fade from the picture.

changed.

on that pearly little hat . . .

HAS CHANGED

This is the fastest-ever fashion pearly—the sort of thing English to catch on Already the chain- women should wear instead of of business is on to the usual felt hat with a wing

it, and these are the customers on it who are usually slowest on the lounging: a symbol of what the washing machine that Prince English middle-class woman Philip bought here. Mr J. Wallis, managing director longs to retire to-a house in FLASH: A little French chain of shops selling the country and herself lying restaurant in Chelsea had an in £2 to £5 range, indolently on one of those

the old bread-and-butter num- gently under the apple tree. the latest magazines and over her head a canopy for when the sun gets really hot. And, of for her China tea.

AFTER a safari round the Not that she often achieves wife of the President. the lounge chair if she did-it said Mrs Durries Crane. more bursting with good things is £47.

was an idea more within our Eisenhower's. grasp—a bottle of white iced port—to serve as a cocktail pefore dinner.

cheaper than a good sherry shop in Piccadilly invited all its customers for the week to come and taste its new cheeses—a dozen of each. Could there be a better way to soften up a customer?

"Young people." wine and cheese man, tasted good cheese and in the hand are worth more than we're out to educate them."

#### The charm!

sumbled on magic.

overalls that cost around the A hat that could easily be package of the new make-up. Nigerian girl, who came with Storing sprinkled clothes it Paris—the first version we have All we had to do, the label the KABARA's perty, remarked the februarator until lithing seen of those enchanting assured us, was to dab it here surprisingly, London is quits a time not only leasing the denient opelescent straws made by and there and watch it charm rest does often the pay life in intiday, has maken training Patiette and and flat and away all imperfections.

#### the kitchen—an imitation lemonfilled with real lemon juice. FLASH!

#### Around the news

Street we came upon the pret-

tlest little saucepan we had

ever seen. It is a white fire-

proof porcelain, hand-painted

with a trail of green ivy leaves,

with a lid to match. Perfect for

serving straight from the oven.

younger.

FLASH: The Queen had present most housewives would Along Piccadilly we saw it. welcome-a year's supply-32lb The latest cane chair for loggia -of detergent to use in a new

idea we would like to spread. not putting any more of lounging chairs which swing They invited all their old customers to a pink champagne and caviar party, to celebrate the opening of a new

> course, by her side a little table York will never forget the day that she shock hands with the such longing, or could afford so embarrassed I could die," she was wearing a green taffeta Within a step or two, though, dress that was a replica of Mrs

FLASH: A. scene that sums up " success...American style. Eddie Fisher, America's No. Delicious (we tried it). boy crooner, lolling back in after his dressing gown performance, with a relinue of other guys waiting for his com-"Get . me. a Coke, Jake," "Open the window, Bill,"

"Close the door, Al." FLASH: Life Palmer showing how a woman driver should sait and pepper to taste. Cover look-and seldom does. swathed in pale fur at the wheel on toast with lemon. of a hig black sporting Bentley and zoomed past the sparkling lights in Piccadilly:

FLASH! Mrs. Gerald Legge -and here is something new splendid advertisement for cutin luggage. Inexpensive suit-ting off all those little grape cases which are durable and curls. Like Princess Margaret, sweat shirt—and much better smart with leather handles and she had dispensed with them.
keep-your-husband stuff in our leather corners, in three sizes. Mrs Legge had brushed hers out Round in Regent Street we into a long soft bob and the Princess has cut hers off "In 20 seconds you will be FLASH: We liked the story! more beautiful," said the of the dence at which a pretty

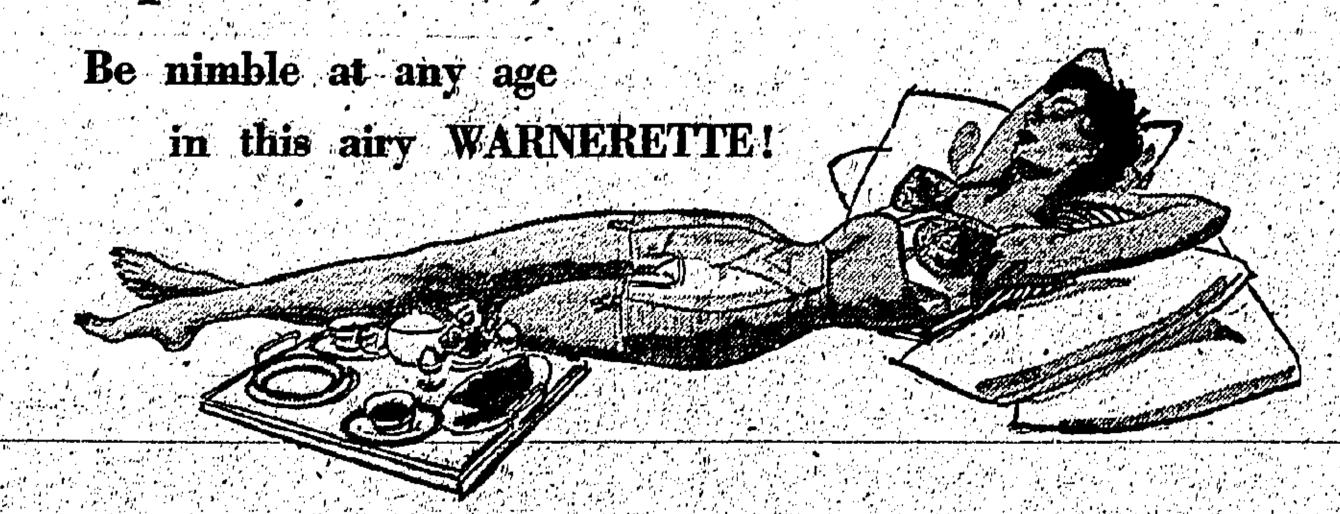
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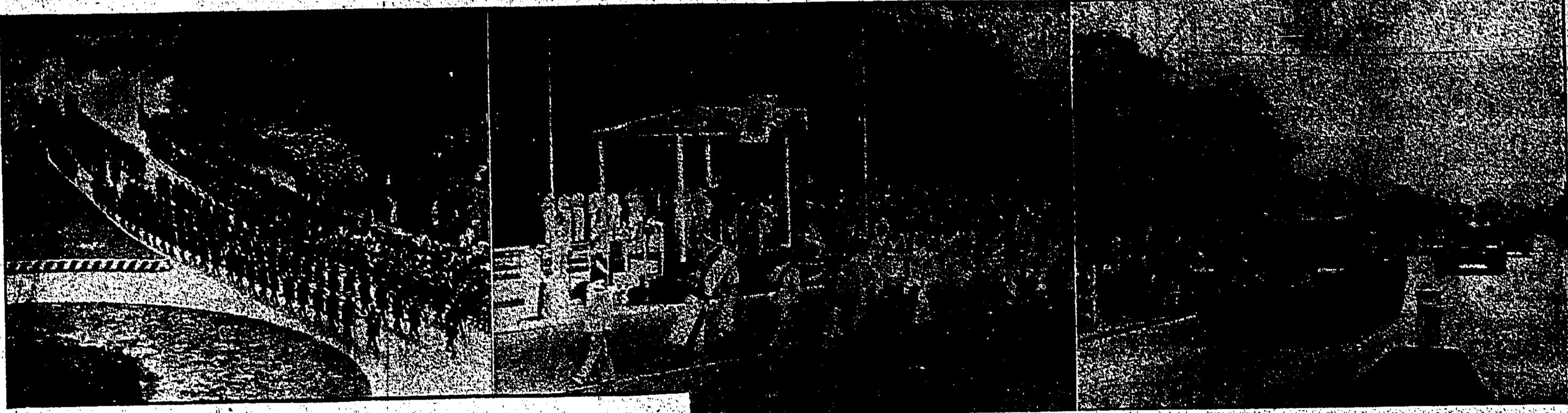


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FINALISTS in the Hongkong University Badminton Club championships. (Ming Yuen)

NAVY, Army and armoured contingents at the impressive parade held in Kowloon on Wednesday to mark the birthday of Her

PROFESSOR L. Justin Besancon, President of the French Red Cross (second from right), who led a French medical delegation to a conference in Tokyo, pictured at the luncheon given by the Alliance Francaise. (Staff Photographer).



THE Hon. E. B. David, Hongkong's new Colonial Secretary, being greeted on his arrival at Kai Tak Airport last Sunday. (Staff Photographer)



GROUP photo taken after the christening of Valerie Lynn Jones, daughter of Mr and Mrs. E. S. Jones, at St John's Cathedral last Sunday. (Starlite Films)

RIGHT: Mr Frank Allen helping his bride, the former Miss Flora Lo Kwan-hing, to cut the cake at their wedding reception last Saturday.



LAST Saturday's wedding at St John's Cathedrai: Captain Thomas William Hancock and Miss Rosemary Elizabeth Swabey. (Stuff Photographer)

RIGHT: Wedding at St. Andrew's Church on Wednesday of Mr John Webber prowett, Divisional Superintendent of the Hongkong Police, and Miss Augrey Thubron. (Staff Photographer)



BELOW: Members of the Yaumati Kaifong Welfare Advancement Association and guests present at the Marewell dinner given in honour of Chief Inspector R. B. Davies last Saturday. Mr Davies is in centre of second row. (Staff Photographer)



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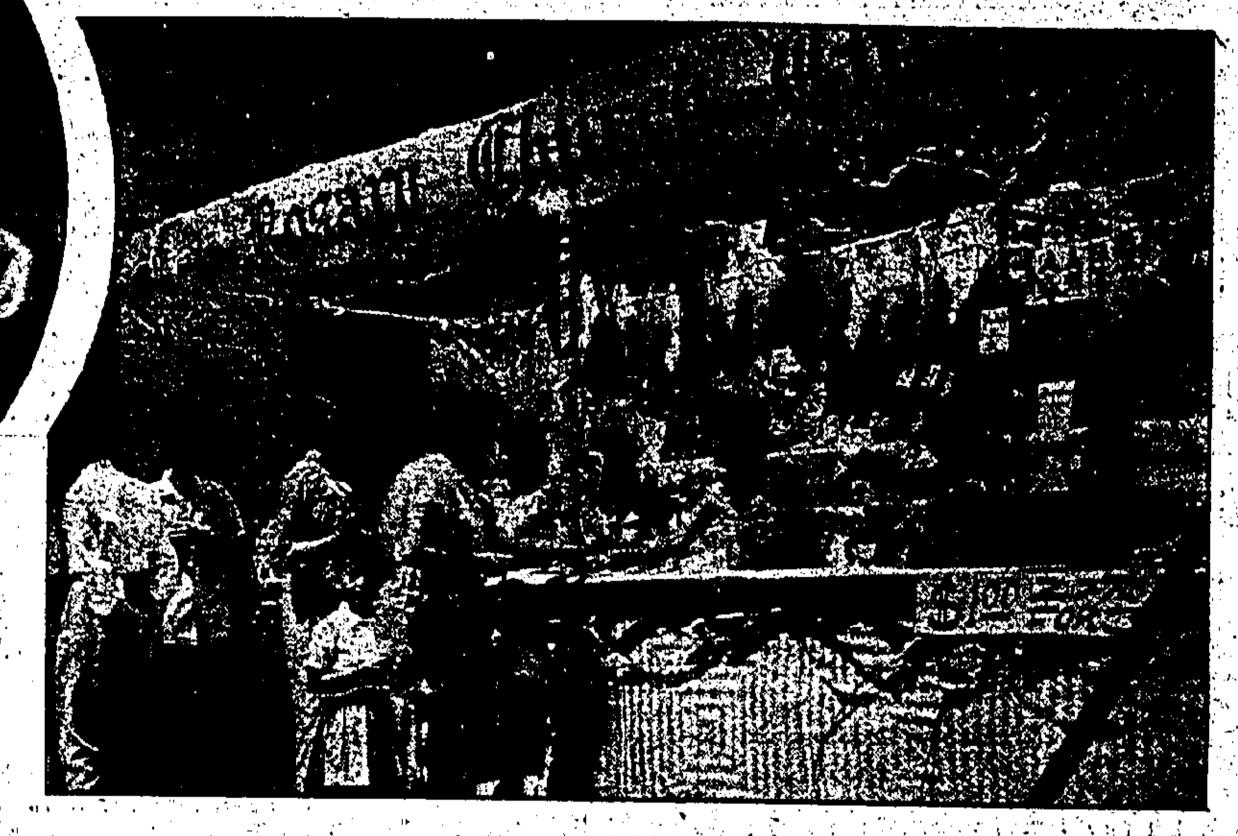
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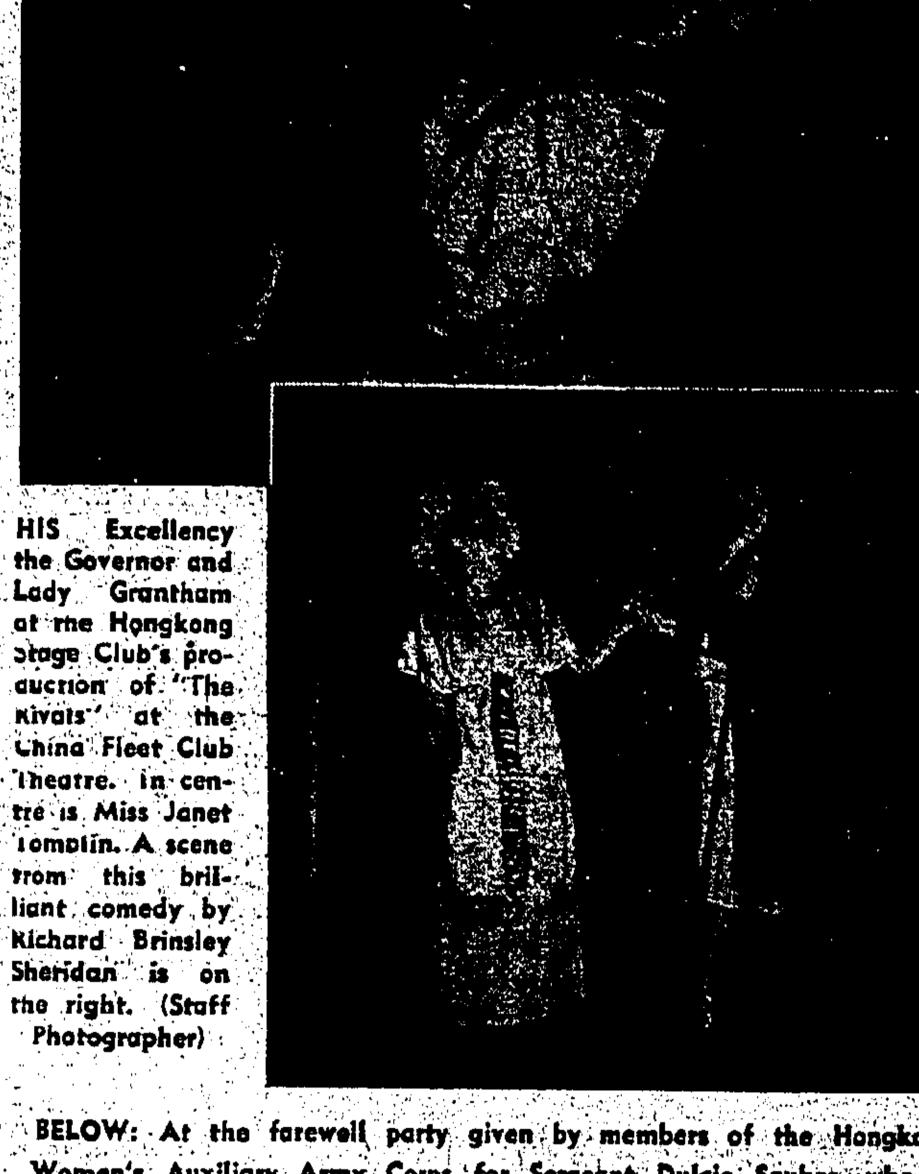




SCENES at the Jubilee Ball of the Hangkong Society for the Protection of Children, which was held at the Repulse Bay Hotel. On the left: The Three Dutch Dolls (Regina Kwok, Linda Liao and Hazel Ewing) who helped in the evening's entertainment, (Staff Photographer)



ONE of the many attractive stalls at the Rosary Church bazaar last Sunday. The bazaar was organised to raise funds for the construction of a new Rectory, (Staff, Photographer)

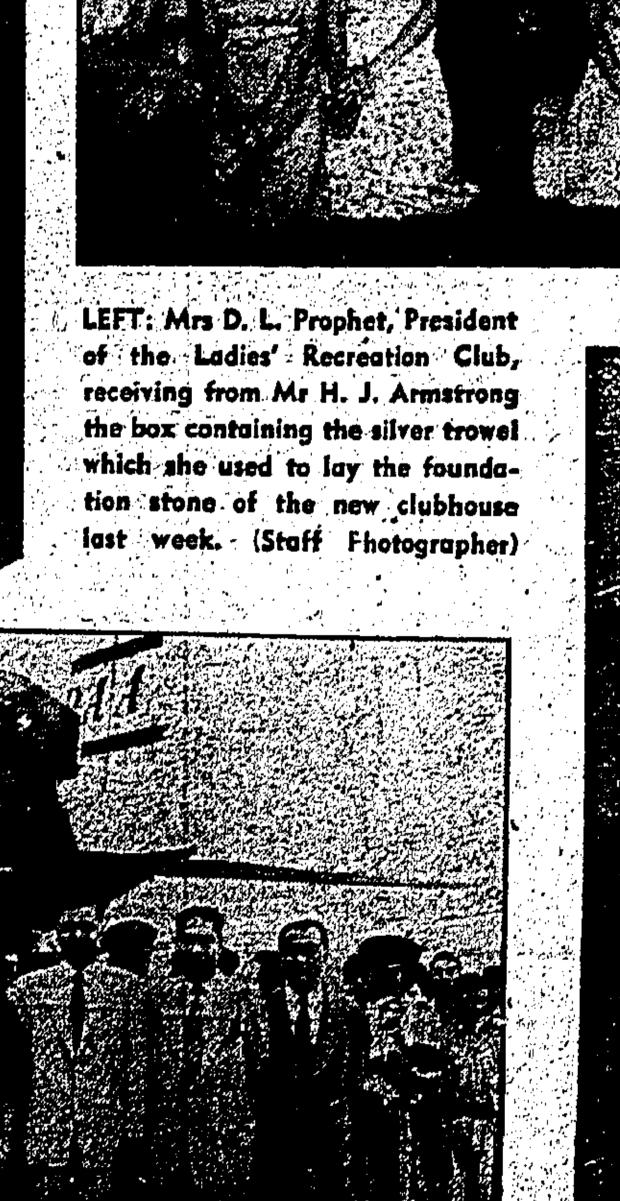


BELOW: At the farewell party given by members of the Hongkong Women's Auxiliary Army Corps for Sergeant Dulcie Sauber, who is leaving the Colony. Sergeant Sauber is sixth from left in the back row. (Staff Photographer)

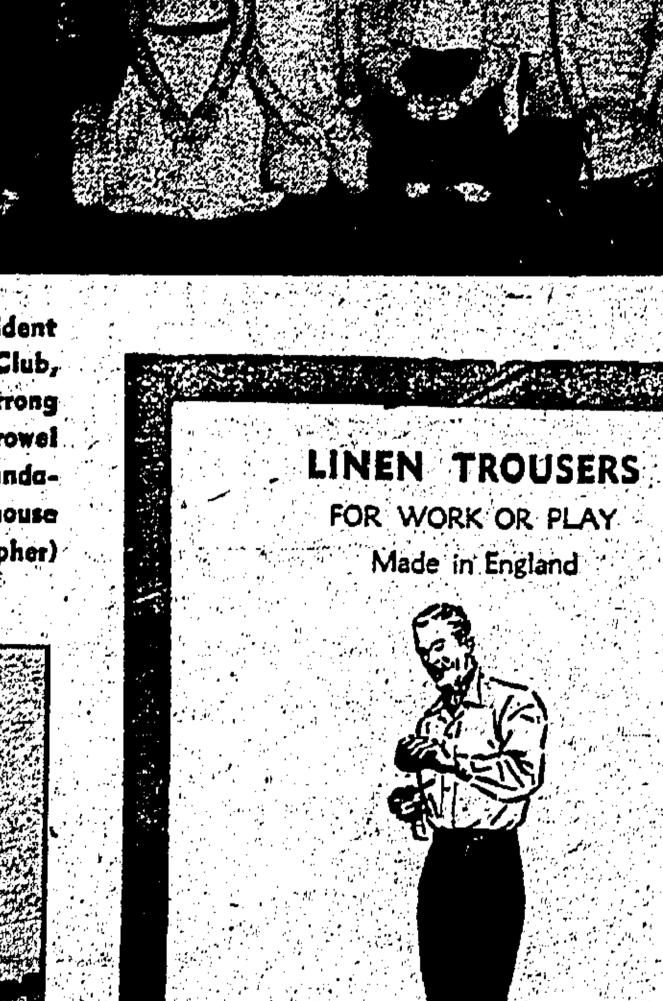


MR C. J. B. Leader and Miss Binkie Mackie leaving the Union Church, Kennedy Road, after their wedding. (Staff Photographer)





THE Hon. T. Nelson Parker, of Richmond, Virginia, Chairman of the Committee of the Christian Children's Fund, seen off at Kai Tak when he departed for Taipel by officials of the Fund in Hongkong. Mr Parker (fifth from right) was in Hongkong for a few days in the course of a world tour. [Mayfair]:



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# PRACIICAL HOMECRAFI

# About Pet Animals And Birds.

By W. W. BAUER, M.D.

Common as to be almost universal. The traditional cats, canaries, goldfish, and cans have hobbies involving the dogs have now been joined by other members of the bird and animal world, besides many other varieties of fish. The health implications of pets in the homes are two—physical and psychological. In both areas there are positive and negative values.

Loward pets in general. As a matter of act, pets are about as common in doctors' families as anywhere else, and many physicals anywhere else, and many physicals anywhere else, and many physicals in many pets in general. As a matter of act, pets are about as common in doctors' families as anywhere else, and many physicals in many pets in general. As a matter of act, pets are about as common in doctors' families as anywhere else, and many physicals in may save the pet itself from tilness and suffering.

Take the matter of rables, most usually found in dogs, but not absent in any mammal. It is a dreadful and fatal disease, in animals or in man. It is preventable by vaccinating dogs, keeping them from running koose, and giving them prompt negative values.

On the positive side, there is for the londly—the single person living alone, the widowed of both sexes, the homemaker whose family is away all day at work, the isolated worker such as lighthouse keepers and the like, and many others. Pets contribute to the education and growth of the who learns kindness. patience, love, and protectlyetoward the weak and helpless, and responsibility for care and feeding. Pets which reproduce are a help toward teaching the child about this phase of life. Pets have inspired much fine literature and poetry, and many noble and philosophical ideas have been stimulated by them.

#### USES AND HAZARDS

frozen trails of the north, as well lever. as being useful in military and Aside from hazards, there is has built-in china cabinets

loose, and giving them prompt attention when ill or out of sorts. the value of pets as companions All dog bites should be reported to health authorities and the patient should have immediate médical attention. Cat, squirrel or monkey bites should have the same precautionary treatment This is simple common sense beneficial alike to owner and per-

#### -- INFECTION SOURCES

Birds of the lovebird, parakect, parrot, and related types—the psittacines—are subject to an infectious type of diarrhoea known as psitacosis or parrot fever which can affect the human being and can be serious.

Some pets are useful as well cat lovers are prone to put their when two additional bedas ornamental and psychological- faces as well as their hands in ly satisfying. The cat in the close contact with the soft cat barn or warehouse may keep fur. " Cat scratches are often down mice and rats. Dogs per- severely infected, because the living and dining areas in form notable services in sheep claws are always dirty and there one large room. The dining for gardening tools.

police work as watchdogs. The the likelihood of unintentional hamster and the guppy might be and thoughtless cruelty to pets. difficult to include in the cate- Too often pets are left in locked gory of useful pets, but they houses while the family goes have their educational moments, away. Maybe they are delayed and the pet remains neglected. Among many pet lovers, it is Or they turn a pet out to forage impopular to speak of hazards for itself while they are away. involved in keeping animals or This is a fine way to have the birds in close association with animal pick up diseases, which human beings. Such warnings may be transmitted to children are too often unjustly regarded. The keeping of pets is a privias evidence of antagonism lege, which has many advantages. But it is an obligation, too, not to be neglected.

lalking

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

THEN one of my sons

began to talk to him one

evening in a friendly, com-

panionable fashion, he inter-

rupted with: "Now what's

myself improving as time went

of parent and child toward each

other and the related matter

during the talking. And this

feelings has grown out of all feelings toward each other

during days and weeks and months and years. So it would

seem good sense to put em-

mutual feetings with a child for

no reference is made to something wrong the child may have

done. Let us practise at being

a friend with the child in con-

these occasions so frequent and

versation and fellowship,

that both of us will have

pleasant time.

some time before "talking

question.

was about 14, and

#### THERE'S SUBURBAN CHARM in the design of this comfortable little home. The entrance porch with its picture window is made most attractive by the combination of frame, brick veneer and ledgerock. For a touch of colour, there's a planting box.

By Joan O'Sullivan

TERE'S a home with a addition, there's a dining In future. The ground floor nook, so the dining area Cats, often accused of spread- -living room, dining room, proper won't have to take ing many diseases, actually are kitchen and two bedrooms- too much wear and tear. not as bad as they are painted. is ready for now. Later, Family meals can be served. germs and spores which cause there's a half storey over- informally in the kitchen. skin diseases, particularly since head that can be finished off rooms and a bath are needed.

> section, near the kitchen. set on either side of a double

possible varied furniture be a problem. arrangements.

Step into the kitchen, and you'll be delighted with the and a bath. Closet space is compact set-up. A U-shaped good, and additional storage arrangement of appliances room can be found in a hall saves steps for the home-linen closet.

\* Home With A Future \*

Nearby, a hallway leads to the basement stairway and the back door. The rear This design combines vestibule has a huge storage closet that could be used

Bedrooms and the bath are reached via a hallway The living area has a off the living room. Both arge front picture window bedrooms are cross-ventilalong the entrance wall. Ad- ated and each has a roomy jacent, there's a wall of closet. Wall space is good, unbroken space that makes so that bed placement won't

> When the time comes for expansion, upstairs can be finished off. The area lends itself to two small bedrooms

## maker, while a window over Things Over the sink makes the work All told, the plan com-area bright and cheery. In prises 23,287 cubic feet. KITCHENS OF

TOMORROW

coming, Dad?" I assured SINCE daydreams have a and outside the home. Thus, a him I had no ulterior way of coming true, meal can be started in the finishing

Right then and there, I re- perimental stage,

solved to find more ways to women deciding just enjoy him in companionable improvements have conversation. As I mused on their approval. this matter, then and later, I did a lot of self-examining, and, astonished to see one surpression. astonished to see one surprising idea become reality, before too long a time. In the big Kitchen of Tomorrow, appliances are located so they can be reached

"talking-thing over" with the and controlled from both inside child will depend on the feelings

## Doctor Finds Remedy For Diaper

A New York pediatrician has beginning of time—diaper rash.
Reporting in the Archives of Pediatrics, Dr. Emanuel pen often. Let us try to make and severity of disper rath is

"We have found most effective results. Thereafter, the child areas before the new disper is won't necessarily suspect that placed in position and renewed "something is coming" when we each time a diaper change is engage him in pleasant con- made.

"Disper rash," he explained, is wonderful, before coursed by ammonia formed by going to sleep, to think over the the action of bacteria with the happy hours we have enjoyed urine and by moisture and frritaduring the day with our child tion on opposing areas of skin,-

motive; that I just wanted we pay great attention to touches given it in the patio.

to enjoy him more. But the experimental projects for The once-a-week shopping occasion must have struck future kitchens.

him as so unusual as to Kitchens of tomorrow special beverage cooler, ice cube bring forth his searching have a way of emerging maker and water cooler, food from the blueprints and ex- freezer, refrigerator, special vegetable and meat storage unit and outdoor refrigerated bar. Then there's a planning desk, complete with a telephone that one can answer without even touching it. At last the homemaker is recognised as a bi business executive!

#### THE TREND

We fully expect to see these things come to pass before too ong, improvements for all o us, not for just a few.
In the meantime, since the big icitchen is the trend, many homemakers want automatic laundry equipment placed there.
Use of automatic laundry equipment has reduced space needed for storing solled clothes and

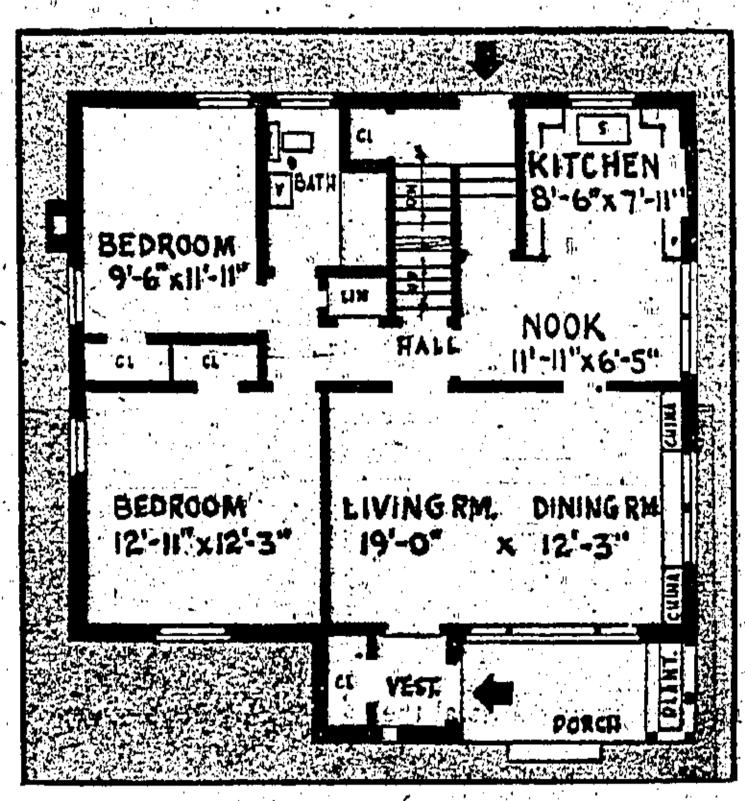
for handling laundry. from the rest of the kitchen by DHYSICAL well-being and doot, is crowded into small

dents and mothers since the handling area to be kept in a your feet the proper care. saves effort and time. Hospital, said, "the incidence shape arrangement is meeting to the beauty shop to find help.

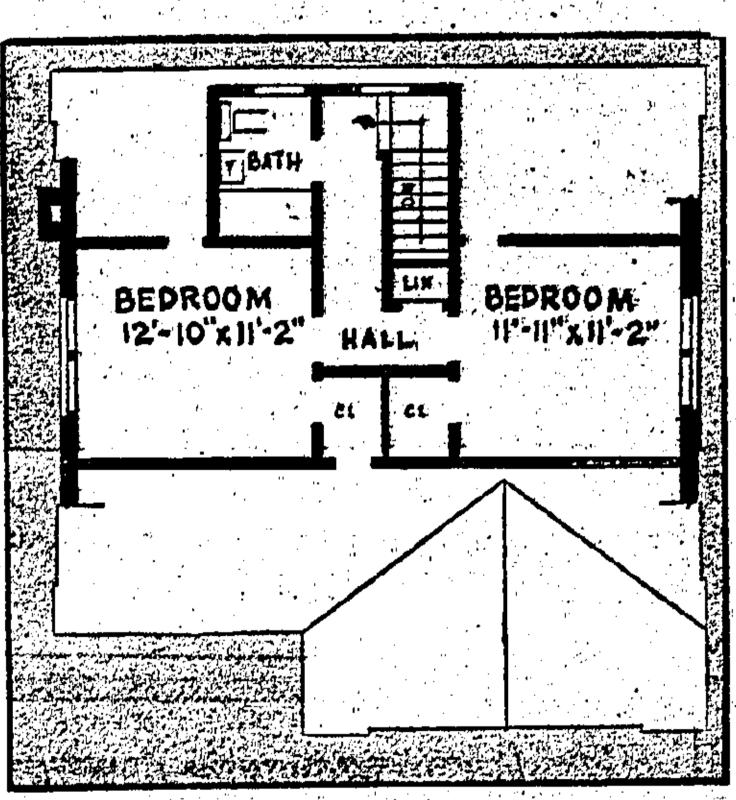
boards is another important plump bracket, she burries to experi- in the early inflammatory phase step, since it makes more room the family doctor who puts her ences. Then, when, only once in of this condition a smooth water—available for other purposes, on a diet.

a while, we must introduce a misciple cream, panthoderm," Dr. Properly located interior shelves help But when her feet matter not pleasant to either of Dubow said. The cream is Ind vertical partitions help us, we might get very destrable suplied liberally to the affected make best use of cupboard her, when she stimbles and

> women said they wanted larger ment. When she has relief, ranges to provide more cooking life will be rosier. and baking facilities, so now the 41-in, range has emerged.



FROM THE COMBINATION living-dining room, a doorway, right, goes into the kitchen; another, at left, leads to the sleeping quarters.



AN EXPANSION ATTIC is ready for the future. The area lends itself to a bath and two comfortable bedrooms, each with a large closet.

# PEDICURE TIPS

By HELEN FOLLETT

larger size. To keep feet in

are inclined to be moist, a

finem in normal condition

from the rest of the kitchen by a mental attitudes are shoes, the bones are pushed a short half-wall which allows affected by the condition of the exches are weakened. trailing plants, or handsome your feet. You will be well

> When a woman is troubled shape, they must have support. reports she is getting into the tender, apply a hand cream

shuffles, she tells herself it is the hand of late raised against

coensile coo chort, and never cut them far down at the sides. In a recent survey of home- her. Instead, she simild go to That is the hest possible way makers throughout America, a podistrist for proper treats of having the flesh harden at

After cutting use on emery most important. They should smooth. Then you won't shar Eleunor Ross be longer than the foot and your stockings when you but roomy over the toes, If the them on.

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and out with salt. Rings in boiled water 💉 and place on a saucer under an upturned cup. Many other useful hints will be found in the Ostermilk Baby Seventh in the China Mail series that has everyone guessing.

The oldest trick in

the world

WAS sitting at the wheel of my open car in one of the squares in the old quarter of Nice, waiting for Sibyl, who was buying food in the nearby market place. It was a couple of

years after the war, and we were on our way to Italy, pitching a tent by the side of the road each night and cooking the food we bought

and where we wished.

on a Primus stove.

This day we had driven two hundred than the Alps to the Mediterranean, and as I waited I began to Suddenly awakened by the light touch of a finger on my bare forearm.

A boy was there, a small, dark, good-looking boy with big, brown eyes. When he saw that he has my attention he whispered "M'sieur!" and pointed to my rear wheel. I leaned out to see what was wrong, and as I did so my left hand felt the camera, which had been lying on the seat beside me, slowly move away.

I grabbed hard, caught the strap and struggled out of the car. The man who had been trying to steal the camera was already walking quickly down the crowded \_I\_shouted\_and\_ him until I remembered the one else." ? small boy. When I got back to the car the boy had gone - and so had the leather map-case which had the place to buy the wine." been lying with the camera.

## My stupidity

laden with food and wine I and felt more interested in top of the tonneau cover. told her of my stupidity, pitching the tent and eat-"One of the oldest tricks ing dinner than in recover-I turned back when I did, round here? It's as built been taken from the car. otherwise they'd have had up as Birmingham." the lot."

trousers?" she asked.

"That's him. He was into Italy." wearing a white linen cap.

It was the sort of holiday because he seemed so shaken little but bare rock and Sibyl did her best to convince we enjoyed—no hotels to at the sight of me. He stunted pines. We pitched book, no time-table - just dived into an inner room and the tent under an olive tree from the wine celler, they dis-

drifting along in the sun-slammed the door behind on the Plateau de la Justice missed her theory with an exshine and stopping when him. I thought he must far above the noise and smell of Nice. It was cool

mmmm by mmmms

Eric Williams

mode the classic escape from a prisoner of war comp during the

ast war—and wrote w classic bool

about it. The Wooden Horse was

published in 1949, has cone through many editions, and was made into a line film. Since then he has written two other escape

Although he was awarded the

MC (usually on Army decoration) tor his exploit, he was a flight Lieutenant in the RAF when he

Now 43, he lives in Devon with his second wife Sibyl. In Who's Who Williams gives travel as one

"We can't leave the car,"

I said, "they'd be on it like

was captured.

he's still there."

shadows cast by the moon francs to last us until on the roof of the tent, but crossed the border. tired though I was I could not sleep. Later I dozed fitfully but kept waking suddenly as though someone had touched me on the shoulder. Once during the night I crawled out of the ing back through Mentone on tent and stood watching the our way home, when Sibyl lights of Cap Ferrat and grabbed my arm. "Stop, quickly. the strings of lamps from the fishing boats reflected in and the grating of the cica- shadow of a tall house and

#### Missing!

Towards morning I fell into a deep sleep, and when I awoke it was daylight. put out my hand for the started to run. I ran after have mistaken me for some-folded clothes on the floor of the tent but could not find them. I looked down, but "He must have watched the space between the beds you leave the car," I said. "Funny you should choose

> I woke Sibyl. "What have "Let's go back and see if you done with the clothes?"

> > "I haven't touched them." I looked out of the tent. shoulders.

a pack of wolves." . I was The car was still there, with When Sibyl came back tired after driving all day, our clothes piled neatly on

around is up on the Grande ing."

them that the third was the man aggerated shrug of the shoulders.

The man . . . must have recognised the word gentarms

We gave them the number of and quiet there, and the the camera and drove on into air was scented by the pipes. Italy, not expecting to hear any more of the matter and thank-I lay for a long" time ing heaven that my wallet had that night, watching the contained only a few hundred

#### His tablets

A week later we were driv-There's that man!"

I jammed on the brakes and the water of the bay. The we leaded out of the car. He moon was full. I remember, was leaning against a wall in the das seemed unusually loud, could tell by his relaxed, sagging attitude that he was drunk. As we walked up to him he pushed himself away from the wall and staggered into a cafe. a few yards away.

> We followed him in and sat down at the opposite side of the marble-topped table. He was sprawled across it, with his head on his hands dead to the

felt somehow outside the wall the man had drawn round-himself, the impregnable defence of the bowed head and rounded

He did not move.

The wallet had gone from spoke again, more loudly. The in the world," I said, "and ing the map-case. "Where my pocket, and the camera girl came from behind the zinc I had to fall for it. Lucky on earth can we camp and my favourite pipe had counter, and although I could not understand her French l knew that she was abusing me "It must have been that for being so rough with a man "The woman in the wine man," Sibyl said. "The old who was obviously sick. I "Was he a thin dark men cellar was just telling me. woman must have told him shook him by the shoulder, and in a striped shirt and blue The only place for miles where we were camp- this time he catsed his head. He did not look at me but mut-Corniche. It's on our way we went to the police, of tered, "De l'eau," and fumbled course, but all they seemed in his pocket until he found a interested in were my father's small cardboard box of white We zigzagged up the profession and my place of tablets. The girl brought a glass "He dashed into the wine mountain road behind Nice, birth. From the detailed in- tablets. The girl brought a glass all the willow up into formation they required one of water end he swallowed a cellar when I was there. I past all the villas, up into would have thought that I had tablet and let his head fall noticed him parrticularly the hills where there was done the stealing. Although again to the table,

I did not know what to pretending, having recognised as we jumped from the car?' He would cortainly have conown the

Slowly he lifted his head. The tablet had apparently done work, but when he looked at me his eyes were absolutely without depth, blank, uncompre-

Momentarily, as though shutter of a camera had opened, eyes showed recognition Then the shutter closed and all was blank again.

"He's putting it on," I said to Sibyl "Ill wait here and you go and get a gendarme."

The man looked up. He must

Although it seems fantastic snapshots I was sure of it. now, I really did think at the time that we were going for the man, who stumbled and mutter- been near that perticular P-n-W ed as he walked. And all the camp. But, on the other hand, him, wondering where I had not prepared to take the risk. met him before. I had not seen his face the day he had tried to snatch the camera from the car. This was an earlier memory.

## Sentiment

We had walked like this for a hundred yards when a motor lorry pulled up at the kerb and the driver shouted something in unsuspicious. I remember notic- check the ing the wallet in the back day, pocket of his trousers, which were rather tight across the seat, and the pointed woven leather shoes that he was wearing.

When the driver suddenly let moved off with the thief on the

running-board. I was taken by surprise. I had been on the verge of memory and only came back to the present in time to snatch the wallet from that tight pocket as the light gathered speed.

ON MONDAY

INVITES YOU TO DECIDE DID IT REALLY HAPPEN?

Michael Pertwee

We stood on the pavement and searched through the wallet. I had hoped them would be mough money to pay for the camera, but there was pone. The wallet merely represented that small pertmanteen of sentiment which a man carries with him through his daily life; a livret de mariage which gave his name and address, photographs of himself and presumably his wife and children, a form of receipt for 20,000 francs for a Leica camera and in a compartment by itself, a metal prisoner-of-war identity disc.

"We've got him now," Sibyl said. "All we have to do is take the receipt to the police. They can easily check the camera."

But I was already across the brink of memory, back in 1943. The scene was a circle of surpresed, ruspicious French faces in a P-o-W labour camp in the German port of Stettin; myself, an escaped P-o-W on the run. standing there and looking anxiously from one face to another. I had some there to ask them to help me to stow away in one of the neutral ships in the dock where they worked, and I was frightened that they would give me away to the Germans. remembered their suspicion turning to friendliness - the sary, m'sieur. My son has the ready help, the warm fellowcamera. He is on the beach, prisoner sympathy. One of those faces was staring at me now from the dog-eared

Later I made a parcel of the camera. We walked down he wallet and sent it back to him. street, slowly, in the hot sun; I may have been wrong about-Sibyl and I on each side of the his face. He may never have time I was thinking that I knew I may have been right, I was

about Rodnev FICTION.

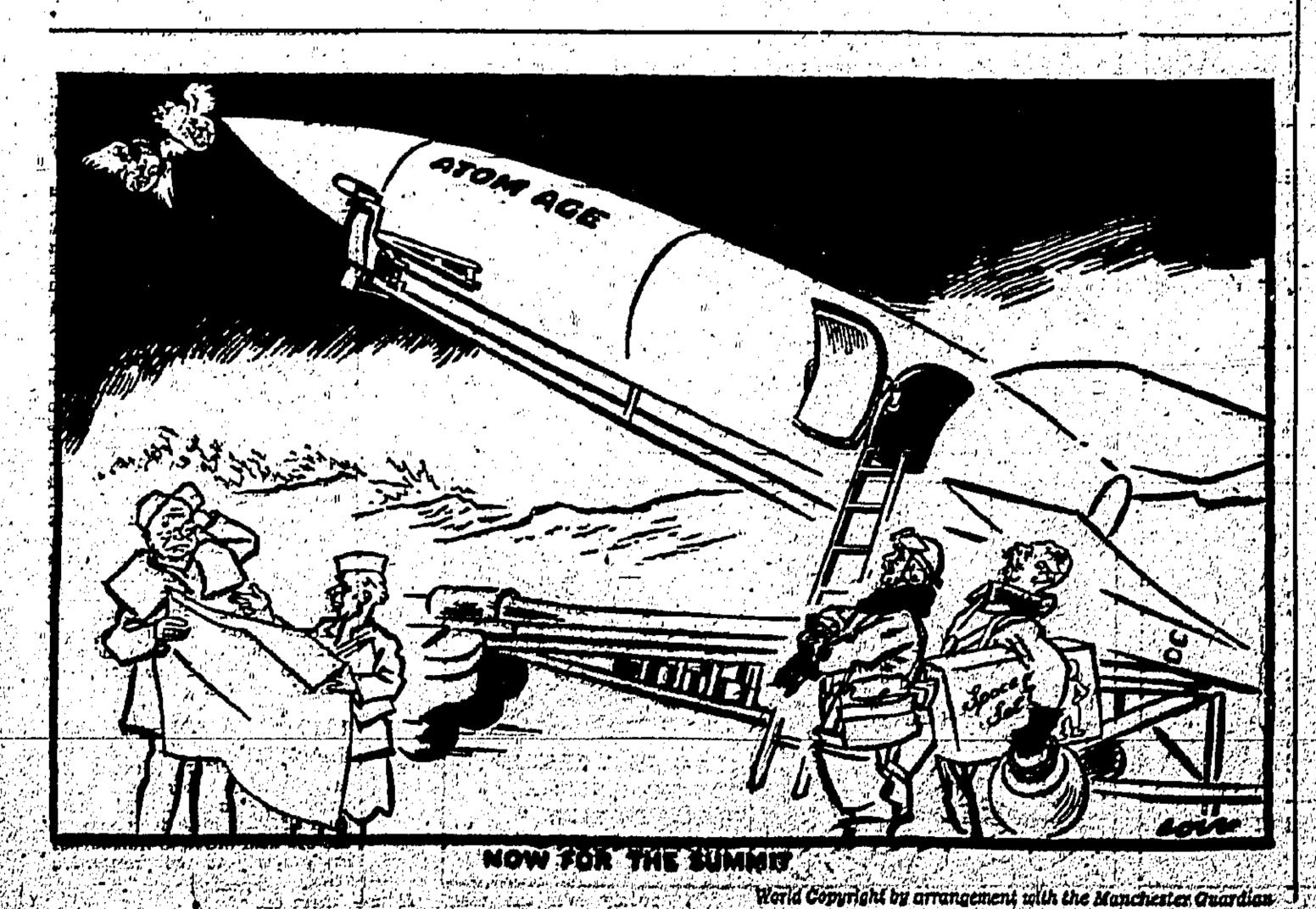
REMEMBER. have to decide: Williams imagine his story the Nicois dialect. I gathered or did it really happen to I tapped him on the shoulder. that he was asking the way, and him? Make a note whether "What have you done with my when our man crossed in front you think story No. I is camera?" I said in English, I of me and stood with one foot FACT or FICTION and

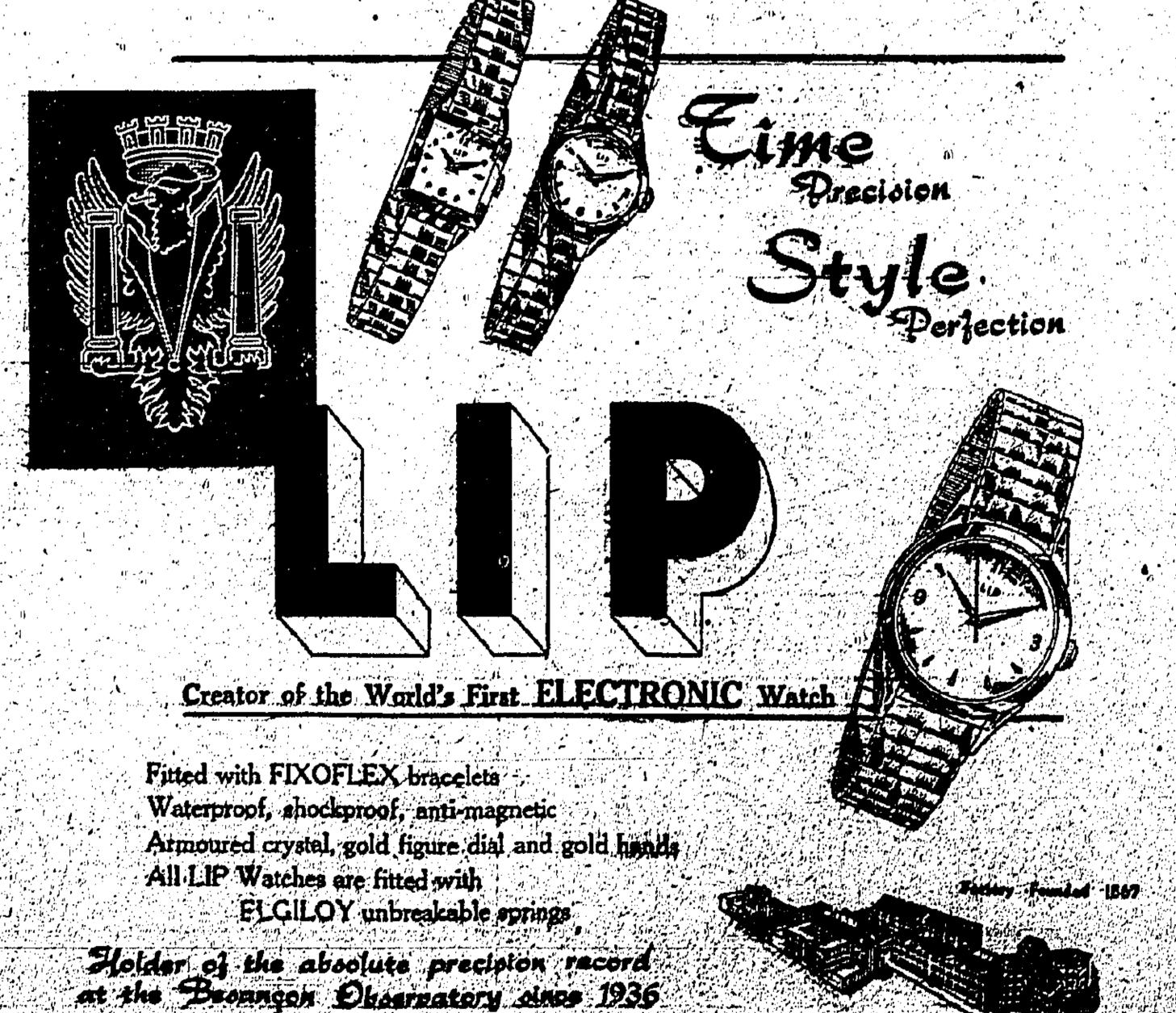
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quietly with the paper

darling, and just forget all about the frost?"

ACROSS

10 Circuits of race-track (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD .-- Across:

Sienna, 9 Obdurate, 11 Eighteen, 13 Pert, 13 Wells, 18 Rates, 19

Envy. 22 Despairs, 24 Alliance, 25 Annexe, 26 Pheasant. Down: 1 Aster, 2 Verge, 3 Another, 4 Babe, 5 Shun, 6 Images, 7

Guests, 10 Dealt, 14 Laden, 15 Serpent, 18 Decamp, 17 Svelte. 20 Mixes, 21 Usher, 22 Dais, 23 Scan.

1 Minister (6).

12 Atured (7). "

15 Unearthly (5).

16 Conceal (4).

19 Manservant (5).

20 Legislator (7).

24 Delighted (6).

·21 Certain (4).

23 Perfect (5).

25 Avarice (5).

26 Frank (6).

17 Pace (4).

A Force open (5).

7 Hard coating (6).

8 Unadorned (5). "

THE ECCENTRIC PROPHET WO gnarled characters out of the American Middle West are brought together by this

(1) Abraham Lincoln, the prairie-lawyer from Springfield, Illinois (fees: 1,200 dollars a year), child of Old England via New, picking up, as he rode from one courthouse in the backblocks

to another, the with telling effect in speech and conver- pulsion

DOWN

Without equal (8).

12 Small piece of turi (5).

VIGNETTES OF LIFE

2 Rascal (Irish) (6).

3 Cooker (4).

5 Enjoys (8).

6 Dirty (6).

9 Dismal (5).

11 Apart (8).

13 Placed (8).

18 Offer (6).

14 Protected (8).

22 Excuse (4).

Soldier, hobo riding in the (2) Carl Sandburg, born freight cars, police reporterago, child of Sweden at in a Kansas City hotel; taking with him wherever he went his guitar and (later collected in American Songbag").

> went to West Point (for two weeks) in the same class as General MacArthur; brigagier-general who had United States. served the North in the Army of the Potomac.

Through picious of adjectives than at any other time in all my born days."

To write about Lincoln, he picked up his pen one day "at the farm a: Flat Bush, North Carolina, where he raises goats ("goats don't dirty up your parlour") and began: "As a growboy in an Illinois prairie town I saw marching men who fought under Grant and wrote

Throughout his vast saga stop," volumes to one; s.ill the equal of two full-sized books), Sand- speeches, Lincoln said: "There, burg remains "faithful to this are always some fleas a dog note of casual searching of can't reach.". America's memory for the truth concerning her greatest son.

His Lincoln is buil: up out of stirrup the rider soid: a multitude of tiny incidents, you're going to get on, I'm England.

the report who before that had regarded manner of the man; embodi- came that there had been no England as fit for only plunder ment of all the sharp-tongued firing since sunset. Lincoln and pilinge took the good document town "philosophers" of asked if there had been any at his word. They crossed Lincoln and pilinge took the good doctor was told border in droves to give woman-hearted; governing by "No." It reminded him about Sassenachs the benefit of their instinct rather than reason; in the freak of nature "black from industry, resourcefulness and the end, a nation's conscience, the hips down. What colour was their ability to make money in he from the hips up? Black, of large wads.

> Emerging in the end from were still present to be prised this biography is a figure of out of his seat in Fleet Street's homespun greatness, almost as Cheshire Cheese and set on a if Robert Burns, and Oliver tube train bound for the White Cromwell had been united in City be would probably for the one strange, stern, gentle and first time be struck speechless. brooding prophet-who did not For the London Scots who flinch from the dust and even annually hold their traditional from the mud of the political he-man games there, are all set

Studying verbs and the mystery of how they connect At least one paragraph Lincoln nouns, studying a man and the ministrel spoke at Gettysburg is known to mystery of how his temperaof the 300 pipers who will proverbs every civilised man. It is grand ment knitted men into a nation, and biblical and brief. But Sand- Carl Sandburg, the troubadour vide the music, burg reminds us that Lincoln's with the guitar, has sung into reputation was built up, in town noble literature, the popular

sighted men of his day to

#### Rest of the Books

Sweet Witch. By Richard POOR, POOR United Llewellyn, Michael Joseph. 10s. 6d. 256 pares. Unblushing romance. Scene: Wales. Time: Napoleon. War breaks out simul aneously against the French Fleet and King George's Revenue man. Among other misadventures, the spirited eroine gets a proposal of A dashing piece of nonsense.

licence destroyed so that it can White Hunter, Black Heart. never come on the road again." By Peter Viertel. W. H. Allen, 15s, 320 pages. John appreciate it, but the cherishing, Wilson, film director of moody talent and outsize ego, goes to maintenance and running of vintage (pre-1930) and veteran darkest Africa to make a picture; regardless of his partner's (pre-1904) autos has become not stead. If John Hus.on did not big business in Britain. exist, it would be necessary to There is ever-to the dismay new Postmaster-General, Dr invent him so that he could be of auto-antiquaries a Trans- Charles Hill." model for the "hero" of ... this atlantic trade in elderly Bent- Not only does it appear that BAN ON The 30,000 Egyptians

ONE UP FOR The finest pros- are the too scarce to be traded, garrilous Samuel Johnson-who, anyway,

Johnson's continention, colonies

of Scotsmen have sprung up in

lassies will dance the first-ever

mass eightsome reel. And even

Legion and the Pakistan Army.

For Socialist Lord Lucas has

didn't much like the breed-was the high road leading into Alliance that Lord Lucas's tigures to back his case. Figures "scrap 'em" idea was "just plain like these;— ludicrous." And he believed In 1951 Britain spent £50 starting. Thousands of Scots,

that if the peer's plan ever did of £81 million. become law, they could clean up To cater for this national handsomely on dollar purchases garrulity, 10 million miles of of prized, vintage and veteran telephone wire will be rigged models that otherwise would up every week this year, and just never get on to the market. It million miles every week In the brace of centuries since

THEY'RE SO British . house-London, showing just how right. wives a re TOUCH soap-powder research men. Itrelative merits of its rivals—just you can keep up with the party can't be relied upon.

Just to be able to write some Harry Pollitt, for instance. sales-catching line into their have been hariding out to house- for London's Daily Worker. wives samples of their own and as many tartan-sashed

> And they ask them: "Madam, tains." try them all, and tell us which brand you like best."

if the doctor could find something to say, it's doubtful if it would The packages are numbered. ever be heard above the noise But that doesn't work. Research men have found out that most women will subconsciously pick carton "A". And, so as not to And just to show that they've delude themselves, investigators made their marks elsewhere than must put their own product London the Scots have invited lower down the alphabet. along the pire bands of the Arab

But never the researchers have decided, will they label any package "Q".

"For some reason," they say, "women just don't like the letter So they have tried "numbers.

Which ham't proved helpful either. Women are notoriously a room where young members superstitious about numbers. colcurs. Subconsciously women pick the carton which has their

favourité colour. Clearly, the investigators admit, it is a job for psychia- trying to build houses with a

NATION OF The long-held their courting. Maybe Lord Lucas did not CHATTERERS belief that the "It would be a better world British are a and there would be rewer misrace of silent stoics, shy of takes it all the girls brought conversation and emoting in their boy friends home," he feelings, hunts elephant; in- only a cult, but something like monosyllables, has been effec- said, "Their mothers have an tively scotched by the nation's insight and know what is going

STHE WIVES

ALIBIS

constant wagging of their tradi-C.E. Childe-Freeman, busi- tionally "stiff upper lips" ness manager of one of London's costing the country a packet. biggest experters of vintage cars And they're getting worse. to the United States, told the II anyone cares to argue the North American Newspaper point with the PMG no has

there would be such an outery million on telephone developfrom auto-enthusiasts that it ment; in 1954, £70 million: would never win sufficient popu- and for the current period the chattiness of a nation is going Other dealers, though, feel to cost something in the region

ANNOYING annoying the ON TOP ness being a Comscems a woman's opinion of one Even when you get to the boss brand of soap-powder and the level, there's no guarantee that

Take British Communist boss Mr Pollitt is currently nds, consumer research men Peking and writing a daily diary

In his first instalment. company's product and of their wrote about "the glorious con-Several hundred kilted ma'es rivals'—all in plain, unlabelled struction projects' and the "splendid confidence in duture which will move moun-

> . But, to save the "worker's" money he had to send his prose by airmail. While it was on its way, the Chinese press had decided that things weren't what Mr Pollitt said they were at ell. The People's Daily complained bitterly about "inadequate transward agriculture." and the "unfortunate lack of planning experience" in the Communist party.

COURTING Every house being built today should have of the family could do their the same goes for courting, Councillor Simon Mahon, Housing Committee chaifman said at a Bootle

Town Council meeting. He said his committee was - living room and a parlour where the children could do home work and later

• When a horse, kicking sour-sardonic study in love- leys, Lagondas, Darracqs, and the belief is unjustified; the MOSES who helped to make "The For . Egypt

banning it. Reason: religious Al-Azhar University have condemned the film for portraying scenes and people venerated bythe Bible and considered nois by all Moslems. And the Moslem creed, in its strictest form, forbids any kind of photograph as a form of idolatory,

A sub-committee of the powerful ulemas (religious leaders of the university) issued the ban and if it is upheld the film is

genius 6-year-old dog and has reached the conclusion that the dog-a mongrel belonging to a family on knode Island —is the smertest dog in America. He can count, add, subtract, multiply and even do square

University professors called in scott at the genius to the extent that they believe they have merely sumbled across an unparalicled case of telepainy between master and dog. The dog says they're quite inght.

HIGH Lateries is Broadway's LIFE new name for night circs, also called miteries. If they have strip tease acts they are of course stripperies.

And just now there is in Broadway boom in chorus girls, They are being enapped up not by the Broadway lateries but by TV and the gambling casinos of Les Vegas, the sagebrach Monte Carlo of Nevada, Las Vegas now employa 200 choraces,

RADIO FOR A new herds-COMPANY man s choice series of radio broadcasts was announced this week. To the lonely herdsman in remote areas of Inner Monzolia's 47 radio stations would beam programmes to keep them company in the long lonely days and nights. And there would be a choice

for both lowbrow and highbrow herdamen; domestic and international news, the latest in Chinese pop music, pperas, weather forecasts and instruction on scientific methods, of raising livestock.

A 118 - year - old WANTED Turkish familier
Omer Erkan is
advertising in newspapers for a
wife who 'must not be more
than 25." In his advertisement
the old man offers to trabafer all his property to the prospective

# He felt better with his boots

Cuninng: simple; often sad-getting off." belonged to the soul not to the McLellan's front

and memory - for of something else," the notes he people kept in the band of his stovepipe hat, the boots he took off "so that his feet could breathe," the two days he spent trying to square the circle, the two days free-verse and more that he devoted unfashion- whittling a model steamboat out of wood.

Distinguished from a multitional men dotted up and down in the Spanish-othe small towns of the nine-American War in the 6th teenth century, because he arena, outsoared the career- this year to establish a new Illinois Volunteers under a became the President of the pushing generals, the clever become the biggest American.

> at a position and state and, at last, in the hero of an American epic. nation, by scores of vivid images and pointed anecdotes. The result is that his book becomes a real treasure house for political orators, worth a hundred handbooks on how to make a success-

> > • The jence that was so crooked that when a hog went through a hole in it the hog always came out at the same side from which it started.

ful speech. For example:

• The kind judge to the convicted jelon, a political ally "When " would you like to be

long sermons, explanation being that "he got to writing and was too lazy to • Told once that somebody.

mobile enthusiasts—last they competed with British counterparts in a round-Britain rally—may benefit if a Socialist peer's suggestion ever becomes marriage from Beau Brummeil.; told the House of Lords: some time in a car's life it should be broken up and its

## caught its hoof in the hate. Good Providers

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# Your Radio Listening For Next Week In Detail--A "China Mail" Feature

## A Tribute To Sir Alexander Fleming 9.00 TIME SIGNAL.

One of the most important discoveries in the Geese: Mist Over, The Village: by Martyn C. Webster, Episoca World of medical science was that of penicillin by Anchoring At Evening—Cond By 5.15 ARMAND HERNARD AND Sir Alexander Fleming in 1928. It was in fact Walter Collins OF THE CELEBRAquite by accident that this invaluable healing agent became known to Alexander Fleming - when a batch of experimental cultures of bacteria became contaminated with mould through neglect.

His assistant wished to throw away the haven morning prom neglected experiment, but, fortunately for us all now, Fleming was observant enough to notice that this mould differed from others in that it destroyed the surrounding areas of bacteria.

Although Fleming published a paper on his remarkable find in a medical journal, it attracted no. particular attention, and it was not until the outbreak inne. of the Second World War that the stimulus came for 12.15 p.m. STUDIO: SPORTS TIME. fürther research into his discovery.

Calling: 1st Batt: Essex Regiment

Ain't Cha Got Music-Humphrey

vitiloton & his band; Tell us where

Miller and his orch; Bluin' the blucs

-Boroco Tinde-Xavier Cugat and his-

Orch (with vocal chorus): The Jazz

me blues-Jimmy McPartland and his

Orch: I'm just wild about Harry-Al

Singers and Mor is Stoloff and his

Orch; King Porter stomp - Zutty

Singleton and his Orch; Rosciand

Shuffle-Count Basic and his Orch:

(vocal) and the Norman Luboff Choir

Cloud lucky seven - Guy Mitchell

with Mitchell and his Orchestra and

7.30 ORCHESTRA OF THE WEEK.

The Planets Suite, Op. 32 (Holst):

Mary. The Bringer of War: Venus.

The Bringer of Peace: Mercury, The

Winged of Messenger: Jupiter, The Bringer of Jollity-BBC Symphony

8,00" TIME SIGNAL, WORLD NEWS

209 CUMMENTARY (LUNDON) OR

8.15 EVENING STAR — GEORGE

Echoes of Childhood (Traditional)—

George Feyer, (Piano and Harpsi-

8.30 FORCES' FAVOURITES (LON-

duced by John Wallace.

9.30 ECHOES OF THE THEATRE

-Nanette Fabray and Jack McCauley

Papa, won't You Dance With Me?

San Juan and Tony Baysar; There's

A Coach Comin In ("Paint Your

Mama, Inez-Chuy Reyes and His

Orch: Mambo Murray-The Rico

Mambo Orch: Must I Cry Again; Tell

Me You're Mine; Have You Heard;

Dancin' with Someone-Russ Morgan

and His Orch: My Truly, Truly Fair

-Vie Damone (vocal) George Bass-

"Tungo Valentino"-The Castilians

played the Fiddle—Ray Eberle (vocal) Giena Miller and His Orch;

Si Me Pudieras Querer-Boiero Oscar De La Rosa And La Conga

Phillips and His Orch. (vocal); It's

You Who Taught It To Me-Fox-

Trot-"FATS" Waller (vocal and

piano) and His Rhythm; Tan. Tap-

Samba (from the Savoy Hotel, Lon-

His Orch: Love For Sale-Chappell;

11.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWS-

REEL (LONDON RELAY).

You're just in love-Quickstep-

The Ballroom Orch: Twillight in Rio

-The Suver Strings; I'm Just wild

about Harry-The Ballroom Orch;

Bolivia-The Silver Strings; Three

quistador - The Silver Strings,

Lacoestraume-The Ballroom Orch;

Blue Danube-The Silver Strings.

Scottish Cup final, commentary

on the 2nd half of the match

at Hemoden Park, Glasgow.

Sunday

GRAMME' SUMMARY, NEWS,

LONDON PROMENADE OR-

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

10.00 a.m. TIME SIGNAL, PRO-

10.20 CHINESE LANDSCAPES, THE

SPORTS RESULTS.

(Granville Bantock).

(LONDON RELAY).

Orch; El Con-

WEATHER REPORT.

The Ballroom

12.45 CLUSE DOWN.

CHESTILA.

Ramiro Gomez (vocal);

Yira! Yira!; Fate

Wagon")--(Lerner-Loewe)

man's Orch:

Miyoshi. The work is performed by Brush Those Tears From Your Eyes

16.00 TAKE YOUR PARTNERS

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

" (PLANO)

RHYTHM ACCOMPANIMENT.

STUDIO: SPORTS CAVAL-

Edited by Brig Young. Pro-

Orch cond. by Sir Adrian Boult. 7.59 WEATHER REPORT.

(LONDON RELAY).

enorg with Rhythm Acc. J.

DON RELAY). ...

TIME SIGNAL.

**FEYER** 

Phillips and his Orch; Anna

corner-Jo Stafford

7.00 ACCENT ON RHYTHM.

Experiments were carried out, | 6.03 STUDIO: UNIT REQUESTS. and by 1941 penicillin was ready for the vital test on a human Listeners can hear the absorbing story of the discovery the good times are-Mindy Carson and development of penicillin and Guy Mitchell (vocal) with Mitch in a feature called "Chance in a Million" at half past mine on gramme is produced by Aileen and the story was Johan (vocal) with Lee Gordon written by Charles Parr.

be played at Hampden Park, with Paul Weston and his Orch; Glasgow, this afternoon, and a commentary on the second half Chorus; Roll 'cm-Harry James and of the match can be heard over His Orchestra. Radio Hongkong at 11.45 this evening-relayed from the General Overseas Service of the

Wednesday is an important day in. the sporting calendar of the Colony, for the first Colony Boxing Championships to be held diese the war will take place that evening, at the Southern Playground, Wanchai, Radio Hongkong is broadcasting a commentary on three of the bouts, from 9.30 on Wednesday evening, and the commentator for this event will be John Wallace.

"THE MAN WHO WASN"T

A Glorious Day in the History Ci the World -that is how the 25th of April, 1945, is described by "The Man with High Button Shoes Chorus and Nations Oren. cond. by Mill Hosenstock ference opened at San Francisco. On May 7, while the San Franciscy (vocal); On A Sunday By The Bea-Conference was still in-session, the Phu Savers with high button Shoes, Chorus and Orch, cond, by Mit war in Europe came to an end, June 28, the Charter of the Nations was signed and direction of Pemproke Davenport; the San Francisco Conference con-The war in the Far East Were Thine That Special Faceended on August 15. By October Alfred Drake Oren, under the direc-24 of the same year, enough coun- tion of Pemproke Davenport (vocal); tries had confirmed their signatures Wunderbar - Adred Brake and on the San Francisco Charter and Patricia Morison (vocal) Oren, under the United Nations came into being, the direction of Pembroke Davesport; These were the results of the story The Man Who Wasn't Snadow-Chorus and Oren, dir. by produced by the United Erederick Dwonch: Carion Mio-Oiga Nations Radio.

Wednesday at nine o'clock Isolde Ahwee and George Parks will give another two-piano recital from the Concert Hall of Radio Hongkong. They have enosen to play Rachmaninoff's Suite No. 1, Opus 5, An interesting composition by a Japanese st dent majoring in French under Direction of Victor Young: at Tokyo University can be heard The Nearness of You-Ray Liberte in 'Music of the Tweatteth Century' (vocal); The Spirit is Willing: April at 10.25 on Wennesday evening, called pour Piano Orchestre." 24 It is the prize-winning piece for Orchestral Music in the Radio Nippon | Orch. Hose Kyokal Art and Entertainment Herando's Hideaway-The Four Jacks Festival for the year 1954, and it was with Herbie Layne's Creh; Stay Out. composed by 21-year-old Akira of The North-the Saints Jazz Band;

Yoshie Kora at the piano. . (Broadcasting on a frequency of 860 kilocycles per second and on 3940 kilocycles, 76.14 metres.

7.06 a.m. TIME SIGNAL AND HAS TAKE YOUR PARTNERS. A2 LIGHT MUSIC. 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY. 7.20 TOP O' THE MORN. 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS, WEATHER REPORT & O'clock in the Morning-Waltz-The SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. Ballroom Orch; Ballmore-Quickstep

8.15 MUSIC IN THE AIR! 9.00. CLOSE DOWN. PROGRAMME SUM-12.32 .: ISONGS . OF . ENGLAND." 1.15 NEWS, WEATHER REPORT & 11.45 ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. 1.35 LUNCHTIME MUSIC: Windiammer (Overture) (J. Assell)-The New Concert Orch.

cond. by Jay Wilbur; Greensleeves— Tentasia (R. Vaughan Williams)— The Jacques Orch. cond. by Reginald Jacques. Fantasia On British Sea Songs farr. & orch. by Sir H. J. wood)—The London Symphony Orch. cond. by Sir Heary J. Wood. 2.00 OLD TIME BALLROOM-14. With Sydney Thompson and his Or-ORCHESTEA.

BUNNY BERIGAN AND HIS can't get started; Trees; Jelly Blues; deed I do: High Society; Black Bottom; Russian Lallaby; The Prisoner's Song." 1.00 - STUDIO: QUESTS. Presented by Pauls.

STUDIO: FORCES CHOICES. Presented by Bill Pugh, CONCERT ORCHESTRA. Theme 'Trom 'Night Because"; Prelude to Peace Sid Bright (pizno);
Jet—with Chorus; Magic Circles;
Latin Lady; April In Portugal
(Ferrac/Galhando),
445 NICHOLAS NICKLESY. By Charles Dickens, Produced by Charles Lefesux. 2-Dotheboys Hall

CHESTRA (WITH VOCAL).
Holiday for Strings; Our Waltz: One Love; 'The Continental; Lullaby Broadway: Over the Rainbow; e Way You Look Tonight; When Wish Upon A Star-Vocal rafrain by 19cb Carroll, The Last Time, Baw Paris (Hammerstein II-Kern) \_Voc. ref. by Bob Carroll.

GRAMME SUMMARY."

SAS ORQUESTA TIPICA MEXICO CIPY. Director: Pablo Marin.
La Bemba; Ojos de Juvemini: La Zaodunga; Viva mi Desgracia: Cimenita En Chihushus.

JOSEPH'S CHURCH. Preacher: The Rev. Father D. Daly 3J. 11.20 INTERLUDE THEO BRUINS Jeux D'Enu ("The Fountain"); Oiseaux Tristes ("Miroirs" No. 2)

Preliade, 2nd Movement-Sermade, 3rd Movement — Thema veria 4th Movement: Parades de foire, 5th Movement-Fete foralno-L'Orchestre; des 'Concerts Lamoureux cond. by 12.00 SONGS FROM SPAIN-TITO Lb Partida; Valencia: Querer Co

Our Future Has Only Begun-Denlee Lor with Hugo Peretti and (vocal): Poolishly—Vic Damene with Hugo Peretti and His Orch. (vocal): When You're Home with the Ones You Love Sung by Issy Bonn and Children's Choir with 'Orchestra Acc.: Dangha'-Sung by Sondra & Jon Steele: Melody of Love-Cinephonic, Francis Day: Hey There-Lynn Marshall with Neely Plum & His Orch.: Hajji Baba Plum & His Orch.: (Tiomkin-Washington)-Sung by The Four Joes with Joe Lipman and his Orch.: Love Me-Georgia (vocal) with Glen Oster and Cuban Bellranger—Dolores Ventura (vocal) and her Sparkling Piana with Rhythm; Caylords (vocal) with George Annis. and His Orch.; Tanragona-Dolores

Ventura (vocal) and her Sparkling Plano with' Rhythm: Lover-Ruby Murray (vocal) Ray Martin and His Orch.; Keep In Mind-Patti Page (vocal) with Jack Rael and His Orch.; The Music Leston Charles Williams & Voice: The Four: It's 'A Woman's World-Solo Voice: Artie Maivin & Ferdinand Lois Winter. Enoch Light And His Op. 21 for Violin, Piano & String Light Brigade Orch.; Song of the | Quartet (Chausson) 1st Mov. Barefoot Contessai-Charles Williams Mov.-Sicilienne; 3rd Mov.-Grave; and His Orch. 1.15 NEWS, WEATHER REPORT (Violin), Jesus Maria Sauroma (plano)

1.30 AFTERNOON CONCERT

Hamlet-Fantney Overture, Op. 67 Tchalkovsky)-The London Philarmonic Orch., cond. Sir Adrian Boult; L'Apprenti Sorcier (Sorcer-Scherzo for «Apprentice) Orchestra (Dukas)-Orchestra Jean Lamoureux Cond. Concerts 2.00 STUDIO: HOSPITAL 3:00 TAKE IT FROM HERE. Dick Bentley and Jimmy Ed-

wards with Wallas Eston. Cogan, June Whitfield, "The Augmented BBC Revue Orchestra Conductor, Harry Rabinowitz. Presented by Helen. 1.30 STUDIO: HOME REQUESTS Presented by Helen. 4.30 FRANKIE LAINE SINGS With Paul Weston's Orth. 445 PAUL TEMPLE AND THE GILBERT CASE. Rosenstock: So in Love—Patricia Morrson (vocal) Orch, under the

Montagnes d'Italie (T. Nurens & Payraci: So This is Love (M. David, A. Hoffman, J. Livingston); La Petite Valse (J. Heyne); Valse Seduction (M. Thirlet and Roland-Petitic Boile de Nuit (Marbot and Rode); Quand La Valse Chante Sing Tao v R.A.F.

5.30 ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL." Commentary from the 6.00 TIME SIGNAL AND PRO-GRAMME SUMMARY. 403 JACKIE GLEASON AND HIS ORCHESTRA PRESENT MEMORIES. Trumpet tolo Av Bobby Hackett. I'll be seeing you; Shangri-la; remember you; It could happen to you; Somebody loves me; Time on

La Guttarra with Piano Acc.; my hands; The Nearness of You; Granadinas (Calleja-Barrera); Sevil- The Song is ended Side 2; Once in Conducted by Rev. Thorniey, RN, with the Naval Choir 7.00 LONDON STUDIO MELODIES Lew Stone and his Orchestra, with Ernie Locket, Benny Wright, Bryan Johnson, and Dave Fullerton. 7.30 'PRISONER AT THE BAR. The story of the trial of Richard Pigott, told by Edgar Lustuarten. 7.59 WEATHER REPORT. 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS (LONDON RELAY).

COMMENTARY RELAY) OR SPECIAL AN-NOUNCEMENTS. 8.15 SONGS FROM. OPERA 230 THE MAN OF PROPERTY. John Galsworthy, Adapted for radio by Murici Levy, Produced 9.00 TIME SIGNAL. THE SUNDAY Cinderella — Overture (Rossini)— N.B.C. Symphony Orch cond. Arturo Tosconni; Simfonie Nr. J Es-(Rheinische): Satz: Lebhaff: Satz: Scherze: Sehr makig: Satz: Nich! Mr Sandman Solo | schnell; Satz: Felerlich; Satz: Lebhall -Berliner

AND SPECIAL ANNOUNE & the Musical Art Quartet 10.13 FROM THE WEEKLIES (RE-CORDED LONDON RELAY). 10.30 APPOINTMENT WITH MUSIC. Symphony; Petite Bolero; April in Portugal: Paris: Sympatico-Percy Fight and His Orch 10.45 FROM - HEAVENLY Chorale-Preludes (J.S. Bach) Ich Ruf Zu Dir. Herr Jesu Christ: Seist Du, Jesu Christ; Herzlich Tut Mich Verlangen: Nun Komm', Der Heiden Heiland-Albert 9.30 Schweitzer, organ recorded at the parish church, Gunsbach, Alsace, 10.59 WEATHER REPORT. 11.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWS-REEL (LONDON RELAY). 11.13 EPILOGUE (RECORDED)

4th Mov.—Finale—Jascha

Monday

OPENING MARCH. 7.02 LIGHT MUSIC: 7.13 NEWS SUMMARY, 7.20 TOP. O' THE MORN, 1 .... 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, NEWS, 'Announcements. 5110 MUSIC IN THE AIR. 8.00 CLOSE DOWN

2.30 p.m. PROGRAMME SUMMARY DOUBLE ATTRACTION. Flanagan and Allen—Art Kassel Kassel and his Orchestra (Vocal). TIME SIGNAL. LIGHT ORCHESTRA. NEWS, WEATHER REPORT AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCE.

130 AFTERNOON CONCERT Peter Schmoll-Overture (Weber)-Carl Bohm conducting the Vienna hilharmonic Orch.: Norwegian List)-Picnoforte Solo by Louis (Svedsen)—The Danish State Radio-Symphony Orch, cond. Erik Tuxen.

SUMMARY. THERE" (RECORDED). A United Nations Programme. People - Bob Hope and Hutchingon) (vocal) with Orch.

AT THE ORGAN. PRESENTED BY COFFEY. LONDON RELAY). NOUNCEMENTS.

Story of the 15th Century Read by Audrey Mendes. 3.30 EDMUNDO ROS AND HIS OBCHESTRA. A programme of Latin American music. TIME SIGNAL ASIAN CLUB STUDIO: OFF THE BEATEN PRESENTED TRACK TIMOTHY BIRCH.

10.00 STUDIO: DENISE BRABANT. 'MUCH-BINDING'. 10.59 WEATHER REPORT.

WEATHER AND SPECIAL

and his Orchestra (Vocal) Art

Artists' Carnival, Op. 16 (Svedsen). The Danish State Radio Symphony Orch, cond, Erik Tuxeu: Etude De Concert No. J in D. Flat Major Keniner: Festival Polonaise, Op. 12

2.00 CLOSE DOWN. 4.00 TIME SIGNAL, PROGRAMME 6.03 CHILDREN'S HALF HOUR. 6.30 "THE MAN-WHO-WAS'NT 6.45 SONGS WE REMEMBER. Souvenirs—Turner Layton (vocal) at the plano; Ma Curty Headed Baby

-Dinah Shore (vocal) with Orch. rond, by Nathan van Cleave; Two Shirley Ross (vocal); Blue Moon-Frances Langierd (vocal) and Earle Hagen's Orch, with the Jeff Alexander Chorus: Yours-"Hutch" (Leslie 7.00 Visiting Students from Phillipines. Interviewed Rosemary Richards, 7.15 "BOX 200" BERT 7.30 STUDIO: LISTENERS CHOICE

7.59 WEATHER REPORT. 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, THE NEWS 8.09 COMMENTARY (LONDON RE-LAY) OR SPECIAL AN-3.15 STUDIO: SHORT STORY "A Fickle Widow" A Chinese | 8.09

INTERNATIONAL CABARET PRESENTED BY

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SATURDAY, APRIL 23 6.30 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS. 6.45 MUSIC OF SHAKESPEAKES

1.15 SPURTS ROUND-UP. 7.30 THE BHOW GOES ON. A nigh-speed entertainment from the North of England. S.W THE NEWS. 8.00 COMMENTARY. 8.13 A PARLIAMENTARY REVIEW. by Francess indira. 8.30 FURCES' FAVOURITES SUO YRUM THE WEEKLIED. 9.15 TODAY'S COMPUSER

9.30 SCOTTISH MAGAZINE 10.00 THE NEWS. 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN 10.15 LISTENERS' CHOICE. the NHK Symphony Orchestra, con- Buddy Clark, The Modernaires and 11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL. ducted by Niklaus Aeschbacher, with The Skylarks; Hors D'Ocuvres-Sid 11.15 LIGHT ORCHESTRAL MUSIC. 11.30 Silversione Saturday MOTOR-CYCLE RACING. Commentaries by Graham and

Murray Walker on the finish of the 350 c.c. championship race. don)-Roberto Inglez (vocal) and 11.43 ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL Scottish Cup Final. A commentary on the second half of Hunter Ltd. Stanley Black and His the match at Hampden Park, 11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL. SUNDAY, APRIL 24

6.45"IN TOWN TONIGHT. 7.15 SPORTS ROUND-UP 7.30 DR BILLY GRAHAM. A programme of recordings made in the Kelvin Hall, Glasgow, during the All Scotland Cruside. 8.00 THE NEWS. 8.09 COMMENTARY. 8.30 ENGLISH MAGAZINE. 9.00 THE ROMANTIC.

The life story of Carl Maria von Love Walked In-The Ballroom Oreh: Weber. 10.00 THE NEWS. 10.15 FOR CHILDREN Said the Cat to the Dog."-11.00 Rig Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL. 11.15 CONCERTO. Piano Concerto No. 2 in Cominor by Rachmaninov played by Cyril Smith

and the BBC Northern Orchestra. MONDAY, APRIL 25 6.00 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS. 6.45 COLLECTOR'S PIECES. 7.15 SPORTS REVIEW. 7.20 LIVE WITH THE LYONS. 5.00 THE NEWS. 2.15 RENDEZVOUS PLAYERS. 8.30 MUSIC FOR DANCING. 9.15 TODAY'S COMPOSER

9.30 ONE OF OUR SUBMARINES!

A series of three programmes based 11.15 THE DARDANELLES. on the wartime expenses of Com- | An account of one of the decisive mander Edward Young, D.S.O., campaigns of history, Written by D.S.C., R.N.V. (s.) R., as recounted David Woodwart. in his book "One of Our Submarines." 10.00 THE NEWS. 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. 10.15 NEW RECORDS.

11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL. 11.15 TAKE IT FROM HERE.' -11.45 DANCE MUSIC. TUESDAY, APRIL 26 6.30 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS. 6.45 THE RUARING GIRL." With Fay Compton (a programme

on the play by Thomas Middleton). The tenth in the series Jacobean Theatre. 7.15 SPORTS KOUND-UP. 7.30 COMMUNWEALTH CLUB. 3.00 THE NEWS. 8.09 COMMENTARY. **8.15 SCIENCE REVIEW** 

3.30 FORCES' FAVOURITES 9.00 MONTMARTRE PLAYERS 9.15 'A SONG FOR EVERYONE. 9.43 ULSTER MAGAZINE. 10.DO THE NEWS. 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. 10.15 GRAND HOTEL.

BRITISH POLITICAI PARTIES.' 6.30 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS, K. C. Wheare, Gladstone Professor of Government and Public Administration in the University of Oxford, talks about R. T. MacKenzie's recent 11.45 BBC Concert Hall REC SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA.

Conducted by Jean Martinon, Cyril Preedy (piano). WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27 6.30 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS. 6.45 THE ARCHERS. A story of country folk.
7.15 SPORTS RUUND-UP.

7.30 ORCHESTRAL CONCERT Music by Mozart and Delius. 8.00 THE NEWS. 8.09 COMMENTARY. 2.15 Sam Pollock REPORTS FROM BRITAIN. 8.30 STAR BILL.

Presenting the best in Britain's Show Business. 9.30 SANDY MACPHERSON. At the theatre organ. S.43 WORK AND WORSHIP 10.00 THE NEWS. 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. 10.15 BBC MIDLAND LIGHT OR-11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.

Glendenning and Peter O'Sullevan

on the Two Thousand Guineas race

at Newmarket.

THURSDAY, APRIL 28 6.35 p.m. PROM THE EDITORIALS 640 BERIUUS AKUUMENT. 1.13 SPORTS ROUND-UP. 7.50 KENDEZVUUS PLAYERS. 7.45 'WHAT'S THE FURMY'

S.W THE NEWS. 8.09 COMMENTARY. s.13 MID-WEEK TALK. 'mien is a told rince.' Brigitte German, a merlin journaliilst' who was kinnapped in presden in ibed and spent 5/2 years in Vorkula.

a bovier tweed thoour camp in Arctic Russia, tells of her experience. BUT SIX GEORGE DYSUN. Introduces a recital by Gina Bachauer. Particulan B hat - Bach: Pour le Piano (Freinde; Sarabande; Toccata) -- Liebussy. 8.45 TUDAY'S COMPOSER 9.30 WELSH MAGAZINE. 10.60 THE NEWS. 10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN.

10.15 "STORIES OF GALLIPOLI." Recollections of the Dardinelles compaign recorded by some of the men who were there, including the Rt Hen, C. R. Attlee and Sir Alan 10.45 LIGHT ORCHESTRAL MUSIC. 11:00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL.

11.15 SERIOUS ARGUMENT. 11.45 DANCE MUSIC. FRIDAY, APRIL 29 6.30 p.m. FROM THE EDITORIALS. 6.45 THE BAND OF THE IRISH GUARDS. 7.15 SPORTS ROUND-UP. 7.30 SOUTHERN SERENADE. 8.00 THE NEWS. **2.09 COMMENTARY.** 

\$15 WE WRITE NOVELS. The fourth of a series of programmes in which leading British writers discusa their work with Walter Allen. 4-J., R. Priestley. 8.30 THE WONDROUS STORY. 8.45 Concert Hour BEC WELSH ORCHESTRA. 9.45 LETTER FROM AMERICA. By Alistair Cooks. 10.00 THE NEWS.

10.09 HOME NEWS FROM BRITAIN. 10.15 COMMONWEALTH OF SONG. 11.00 Big Ben. RADIO NEWSREEL! Including summaries by Raymond Glenderming and Peter O'Sullevan Including summaries by Raymond 11.15 Radio Theatre presents Rachel Gurney and Anthony Ireland in

LADY FREDERICK.

By Somerset Maugham.

11,00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWS REELS (LONDON BELAY). 11.15 GOODNIGHT MUSIC. ballage for Hand & Oren .. Op. '19 (Feure)—Kathlach Lorg (plane) with The London Philharmonic Orch. cond. by Jean Martinen. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. 11.30 CLOSE DOWN.

## Tuesday

1.00 a.m. TIME SIGNAL AND OPENING MARCH: 7.02 LIGHT MUSIC. 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY 7.20 TOP O' THE MORN. S.OO TIME SIGNAL, SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. | Kora at the plane. 8.10 MUSIC IN THE AIR.

9.00 CLOSE DOWN. STUDIO: MORNING 12.30 PHOGRAMME SUMMARY, 14.34 The Music GOES ROUND chestra conducted by Karel Seina. AND ROUND. 1.00 TIME SIGNAL, (PIANO) FROSA RHYTHM ACCOMPANIMENT. Moonglow. How high the Moon:

Starous, on the Moon, Moonlight on the Ganges, amon over miaming It's only a Paper Moon, 1.15 NEWS, WEATHER REPORT AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCE-1.30 LUNCHTIME MUSIC:

2.00 CLOSE DOWN. 6.00\_TIME-SIGNAL PROGRAMME-SUMMARY. 6.03 BBC BANDSTAND. Ail Star Concert Brass Band of Great britain. Conquetor, Harry PRESENTED

BURRIE. 7.00 STUDIO: "STUDENTS GUIDE A series of British Counci talks, designed to help overseas students, read by Janet romblin—No.: 7.10 "SUNDOWN SERENADE." Willy do I love you; I love thee; Liebestraum. You were meant for Two Cigarcties in the dark; Room-The Melachrino Orch cond. by George Meiachrino; If You Go-The Melacarino Orch, cond by

George Meiachrino. 7.30 STUDIO: LA DEMI-HEURE PRANCAISE. Presentation do M. Castel Jazz. Jerry Mango. 7.59 WEATHER REPORT 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, WORLD NEWS (LUNDON RELAY). CUMMENTARY RELAY) OR SPECIAL AN-NOUNCEMENTS.

8.15 "BRITAIN SINGS." (Second series) Birkennead Male Voice Choir. 8.30 FORCES" FAVOURITES (LON-DON RELAY). 9.00 TIME SIGNAL. STUDIO: MUSICAL NOTE-

Presented by the Rev. Father T. F. Ryan. SJ 9.30 FEATURE PROGRAMME (CONCERT HALL). "A Chance in a Million f the Fleming. Produced by Alleen Dekker. BRIDGEWATER LESLIE THE WESTMINSTER LIGHT URCH. The Enchanted Baliroom: Foun-

tains in a Shaded Square; Intermezzo and Screnade from the Incidental Music to the play 'Jacobowsky and' the Colonel" (Landon Production); Dense de la Pouppee; Pulcinella. 10.20 AT THE BALLET. "La " Boutique -(Rossini-Respigni) Played by the Philharmonia

chestra cond. by Robert Irving; Intermezzo from "Naila" (Delibes)-Philharmonia Orch. cond by Nicolai 10.59 WEATHER REPORT. 11.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWS-REEL (LONDON RELAY). 11.15 GOODNIGHT MUSIC. Fur Elise (Bagatelle in A Minor) Beethoven) - Walter Glescking Piano); Six Variations in F major.

Op. 34 (Beethoven)-Albert Ferber GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. 11.30 CLOSE DOWN.

# Wednesday

7.00 a.m. TMIE SIGNAL AND OPENING: MARCH. 7.02 LIGHT MUSIC. 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY. 7.20 TOP O' THE MORN. 8.00 TIME SIGNAL. REPORT WEATHER SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. 3.10 MUSIC IN THE AIR. 9.00 CLOSE DOWN.

12.30 p.m. PROGRAMME SUM-MAKY. 12.32 MUSIC FROM THE FILMS. 1.15 NEWS, WEATHER REPURT AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCE-MENTS. 1:30 MUSIC- OF THE PEOPLE. The BBC Midland Light Or-

chestra. Conductor, Gilbert Vinter. 2.00 CLOSE DOWN. 6,00 TIME SIGNAL, PROGRAMME YAAMMUR . . 6.03 STUDIO: LUCKY DIP -

VARIETY REQUESTS. Presented by Jean. 7.00 RT. HON. ANTHONY EDEN, A personal portrait by Vernon Bartlett. 7.15 S T U D I O: KEYBOARD MEMORIES BY RON CARDEB. 7.30 "A LIFE OF BLISS!"

Written by Godfrey Harrison. Produced by Leslie Bridgmont. 7.59 WEATHER REPORT. A 8.00 TIME BIGNAL, THE NEWS (LONDON RELAY). COMMENTARY (LGNDON RELAY) OR SPECIAL AN-NOUNCEMENTS. 3.15 COMPOSER OF THE WEEK-

Sinfonia A Gran Orquesta: 1st Movement Adaglo-Allegro vivace: 2nd Movement-Andante; 3rd Moveon the One Thousand Guineus race | ment-Minuetto (Allegro); 4th Move-Nacional de Madrid, conducted by Jesus Arrambarri. 8.43 GYPSY NIGHTS. Selections from the Beries "Bongs

#### Rachmaninoff; Suite No. 1, Op. 3 (Fantagy). HAU FINALS OF THE COLONY BOXING CHAMPIONSHIPS. Commontary by John Wallaco. 10.00 LEX BAXYER AND HIS OR-CHESTRA. Festival of the Gnomes Ballet Fantasy (Prince Candriano). Nightfall: Dance of the Gnomes: Entrance of the fairles: Finale and

TWO PIANO BECITAL (CON-

Ry Isolds' Ahwee and George

1025 MUSIC OF THE TWENTIETH ···· CENTURY. Symphonic Concertance your plane et Orchestre (Akira Miyoshi)-NiiK NEWS. Symphony Orch. conducted by WEATHER REPORT AND Niklaus Aeschbacher, with Yoshie 10.59 WEATHLE REPORT 11.00 TIME SIGNAL, RADIO NEWS-REEL (LONDON RELAY)...

Daybreak: Valse Viennese: Santa

Maria del Fiore; La, Polonaise;

TWILIGHT MUSIC.

TWILIGHT—An Idyll, Op. 39 (Zdenek.)

PHUGRAMME SUMMARY.

Fibich)—Crech Philharmonic Or-GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. FRANKIE | 11.10 CLOSE DOWN.

7.00 a.m. TMIE SIGNAL AND OPENING MARCH. 7.42 LIGHT MUSIC. 7.15 NEWS SUMMARY. 7.20 TOP O' THE MORN. SIGNAL. 3.10 MUSIC IN THE AIR.

9.00 CLOSE DOWN. p.m." PROGRAMME 2.32 NORTHING BUT MUSIC. Spanish Gipsy Dance - Sidney Forch & His Orch.; Demande Et Rogers with Cooley's Buckle Bust-Reponse-New Concert String En- ers Calls by Roy Rogers: semble conducted by Jay Wilbur: Medley-Sydney Thompson's Olde-The Legend of Frankie and Johnnie -The Melachrino Orch, conducted, by George Melachrino: Toreador Et, Andalouse—The New Promenade

Oreh conducted by Victor Olof, 1.15 NEWS. WEATHER REPORT AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCE-1.30 "MASTERS OF MELODY-7. Charles Williams and his Concert Orchestra. The music of Charles Bernstorff & Diether Ebeler. Williams.

2.00 CLOSE DOWN. 6.00 TIME SIGNAL, PROGRAMME 6.03 STUDIO: JAZZ HALF HOUR: Presented by Robert Acheson. 6J0 STUDIO: PORTUGUESE HALF HOUR. 7.00 THE HALLE ORCHESTRA CONDUCTED BY SIR JOHN Overture 'Rosamunde' ("The Magic Sombrero De Las Montanas (Ob-Harp') ('Die Zauberharfe') (Schu-

major, Op. 20) (Mendelssohn): Mon Fils (Ravel)—with L'Arlesienne (Bizet): Prelude (1st Vidal-Zapater (plano). Suite, No. 1) (Solo Saxophone: Michael Krein); Adagletto, (1st Suite No. 3); Farandole (2nd Suite 7.30 MUSIC FOR YOU-2 John Holmes, Anthony Oliver, Eric Robinson and his Concert Orchestra. 7.59 WEATHER REPORT. 3.00 TIME SIGNAL, WORLD NEWS (LONDON RELAY). \$.09 COMMENTARY

RELAY) OR "SPECIAL AN-NOUNCEMENTS. PETER MUNNINGS AT THE des lies-Giller Sala (vocal). 8.30 'THE NINE TAILORS.' Adapted by Giles Cooper from the novel by Dorothy L Part 2—"Lord Peter is called into

the Hunt." 9.00 TIME SIGNAL. STUDIO: SPORTS REVIEW. AT THE OPERA. 2 & 3 (Bizet). (The Pearl of Fishers). Noursbad, High Priest, Kayler, De-Lamoureux. Conductor: Jean Four- Orch. Buddy Clark (vocal); Wyom-

CONDUCTED BY FRANZ LEHAR (VOCAL). auch nichts als eim traum vom Gluck-Waltz (Eva). 10.30 ONE NIGHT STAND. Gordon Jenkins and his Orchestra (Vocal):

rainbows—Orch; Be careful it's my

heart-Connie Haines (vocal).

and Dances of the Nations": "Piny, 10.39 WEATHER REPORT. my Volynka; There are mosquitos 11.00 Time \$16NAL RADIO NEWS-in the Woods: Ural Dance; The REEL (LONDON RELAY). wide, wide street: Round Dance; 11.15 GOODNIGHT MUSIC. Farm, youth ditties—Soloties of the Ballads for Plane (Chopin): No. 2 with Orch. Cor De Groot GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. 11.30 CLDSE DOWN

## Friday

7.00 a.m. TIME BIGNAL AND LOS LIGHT MUSIC. 1.15 NEWS SUMMARY. 7,20 TOP O'STHE MORN. WEATHER REPORT & SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. 9.00 CLOSE DOWN. STUDIO: ROMAN CATHOLIC PRAYERS. By the Rev. Father R. W. Callagher, SJ.

12.30 PROGRAMME SUMMARY. 12.32 JOURNEY INTO MELODY. With Philip Green and his Orchestra (vocal), NEWS, WEATHER REPORT AND SPECIAL ANNOUNCE 1.30 MUSIC OF THE MASTERS. 2.00 CLOSE DOWN.

6.00 TIME SIGNAL AND PRO-6.03 CHIDREN'S HALF HOUR The Wind in the Willows, by Kenneth Grahame, adapted by May Jenkin Part 3: 'The Wild Wood. 630 STUDIO: TIP TOP TUNES Presented by Jean The Hits of April listeners in their requests. 7.00 SET TO YOUR PARTNERS. Irish Quadrillo-Patersons Dance Orch.: Hornpipe-Mayfair WEATHER REPORT & Haughs O' Cromdale: Linton Special ANNOUNCEMENTS, Ploughman The Scottish Country Dance Players Robertson: The White The Scottish Country Dance Players cond. by John Robertson; Round. the Couple and Swing When you meet; Chase that rabbit—Chase

> Tyme Dance Orch. 7.30 "VIEWPOINT. A weekly magazine devoted to the Arts, edited and introduced Janet Tomblin. Books: Ruth. Kirby Seventy True Stories of the Second World War: "Sweet Thursday"

that squirrel-Square Dance-Roy

J. Steinbeck, An illustrated. on Arabic Music by Dagmar Von 7.59 WEATHER REPORT. 8.00 TIME SIGNAL, WORLD NEWS "(LONDON RELAY). 8.09 AN APPEAL BY MR J. D CLAGUE, C.B.E., (RECORDED). On behalf of the Hongkong Family Welfare Society .... 8.15 ARTIST OF THE WEEK-SOPHIE NOEL (SOPRANO).

rados): Chanson Yemenite: Enigme bert): Scherzo (From Octet in E flat | Eternelle (Ravel); Meilleur Que (Mendelssohn): | Mon Fils (Ravel)-with Jose Manuel 8.30 LONDON STUDIO MELODIES: Jack Coles and his Golden Strings. 9.00 TIME SIGNAL. MUSIC LOVERS' ( HOUR-CLASSICAL REQUESTS (RE-

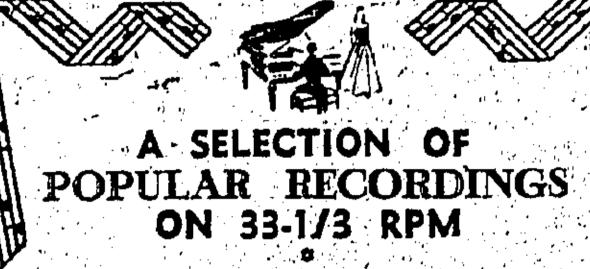
CORDED). Presented by Alleen Dekker. 10 00 BOULEVARD CAFE. Marie s'promene-Guy (vocal): Bleu du clel-Jean Deny vocal); L'lle Saint-Louis-Michele. Arnaud' (vocal): 'Onze Heures Son--STUDIO: 'MODERN -MOODS' -- nent-Line Margy (vocal): Mario 10.15 LETTER FROM AMERICA (RECORDED LONDON

RELAY). By Alistair Cooke. 10.30 RECORD ROUND-ABOUT. Autumn Leaves-Mitch Miller and is Orch, with Chorus; Kiss, Kiss, Kiss-Anna Maria. (vocal); Second Chance-Dean Martin (vocal); Ready, Willing and 'Les Pecheurs de Perles' Acts Able-Doris Day (vocal); South-Les Paul (guitar); I really don't want to know-Les Paul (guitar) and Mary Ford (vocal): I don't Cast: Zurga, King, Rene Blanco: and Mary Ford (vocal); I don't Nadir, Fisherman, Leopoid Simoneau; know why—Claude Thornhill and Leila, Priesters. Pierrette Alarie; his Orch. The Snowfiskes (vocal): The one I love belongs to somebody praz: People, The Elizabeth Brasscur else-Frankie Carle: with Rhythm Choir - L'Orchestre Des Concerts | Section: Linda-Ray Noble and his

10.13 THE TONHALLE ORCHESTRA | Mantovani and his Orch. Gipsy Love - Overture; War' es 11.00 TIME BIGNAL, RADIO, NEWS-REEL (LONDON RELAY). 11 '5 GOODNIGHT MUSIC. Barcarolle / (June from Months") (Tchnikowsky, Op. 37): Andante Cantabile (from "Quartet For You; On The Painted Desert; No. 1 in D major") (Tchaikovsky, Maybe You'll Be There; Dark Eyes; Op. 11)—Andre Kostelanetz conduct-Again; Skip To My Lou; Tempta- ing the Robin Hood Dell Orch. of tion; My Funny Valentine-Vocalists: Philadelphia: En Reve (Nocturne) Bill Seckler & (Liszt)—Louis Keniner (plans); Beverley Mohr, Charles La - Vere Flamingo (Grouya) -Andre Kosteand Chorus; I'm always chasing lanetz and his Orch.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

111.30 CLOSE DOWN.



FRANKIE LAINE Tomocrow Mountain. Song of the Islands. She reminds me of You, To be Worthy of You, Sleepy time down South, Love is such a Cheat, Necessary Evil, One for my Baby. VAUGHN MONROE Without a Song, Oh, promise me, The Whitenpool song, The Moon was Yellow, Something Sentimental." Begin the Beguine, Anniversary Song, Because, BOBBY BREEN Ciribiribin on the Mandolin, So Deep my Love, White Wedding, Five Minutes to Midnight, Timker Tailor, The Water Mill, The Waltz of September, Too Yourg.,

MUSIC FROM THE PALM COURT Dreaming, Beautiful Spring, Alice Blue Gown, Pomone, The Blue Danube, Fascingtion, Vienna, City of my Dreams, Acclamations Waltz. Torna a Surriento, When the Day, is Done. REGINALD FOORT - On The Mosque Theatre Organ Scherzo, To the Spring, Prelude 3rd, Act Lohengrin, In a Monostery Garden, Light Cavalry: Overture, Wine Women and Song, Anvil Chorus. DOROTHY KIRSTEN - NELSON EDDY

#### Rose Marie" (Abridged Version of the Musical Production)

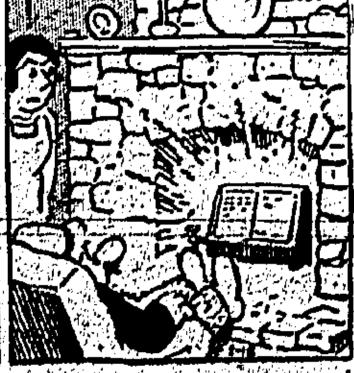
and the Howard Chandler Chorus with Orchestra



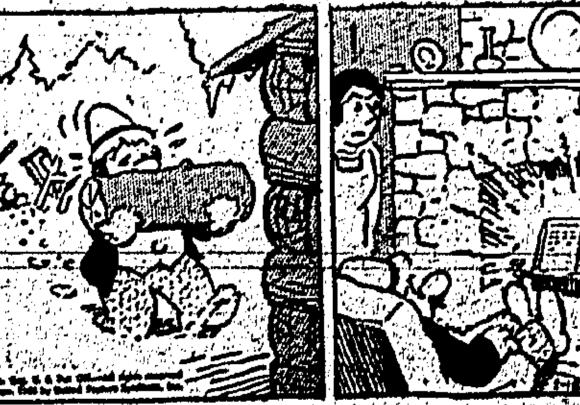
















#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB TENTH RACE MEETING Saturday, 23rd April, 1955.

(To be held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club)

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF 10 RACES.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race run at 2.00 p.m.

The Secretary's Office at Alexandra House will close at

#### MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

NO PERSON WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED. All persons MUST wear their badges prominently displayed irroughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10.00 each are obtainable through the Secretary on the written or personal introduction of a Member such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him. Tiffins will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 72811).  $\mathcal{L}_{0}$ 

NO CHILDREN will be admitted to the Chub's premises during the Meeting. For this purpose a Child is a person under the age seventeen years, Western Standard,

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each payable at the Gate. Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the Miss R. Marques, Miss Chan criginal Thomas Cup requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission MEALS and REFRESHMENTS will be obtainable

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

#### SERVANTS

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Servants must remain in their employer's boxes except for passing through on their duties. They may on no account use the Betting Booths in the Members' Betting Hall.

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Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$20,00 each may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building (Chater Road) and 5. D'Aguilar Street during normal office hours and until 11.00 ann, on the day of the Race Meeting.

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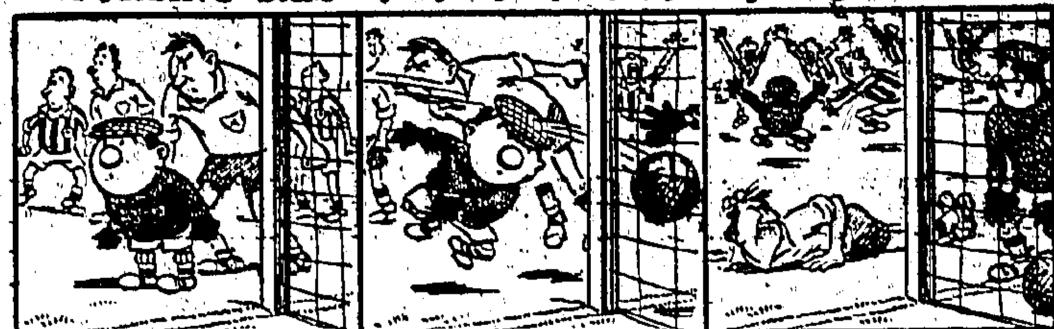
ONE HOUR AFTER THE TIME FOR WHICH THE LAST RACE

Bookmakers, Tic Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

By Order of the Btewards, H. MISA, Secretary.

SPORTING SAM

By Reg. Wootton'



"TOUCHWOOD"

After twelve days of continuous badminton the Colony's Senior and Junior Championships, both men's and women's, have reached the semi-final stages and in the next few days the competition will reach the "survival of the fittest" stage for those still in the running for honours.

This year's Championships brought to light several promising players in the Junior Men's and Women's events. They are George Ma, Wong Wai-hung, Yong Kuen-cheong and S. K. Wong, all of whom are in the last four of the Junior Singles.

shown themselves exceedingly Wong and Sui Chuen in the the Championships, other half. Yung, the 13-year-old schoolgirl, is the better of the and barring upsets. tipped to capture three titles in her first season of competitive

Colony to do so and as things | Sui Chuen-in the semi-final, stand, I believe she will not let her supporters and fans down. Diana Yung will meet Mary section. Wong in the Junior Women's knocked out of the Singles by Women's George Ma in the second round Doubles the Misses Y. Y. Chan and Diana Yung meet the winners of the Miss C. Ho and Mrs M. Scares and Miss Chui Yuen-chun and Miss Connle

previous performances in the early rounds are any criterion of their normal form, there is counter will be the "battle" of nothing to stop them from walking away with the Junior Doubles title. However, either of the two pairs still in the semi-finals-Miss Ho and Mrs Soares and Miss Chui Yuenchun and Miss Connie Young are capable of springing an up-

Miss Chan succeed in capturing the Doubles title rests largely on Miss Chan.

In the quarter-final when with a 15-5, 15-6 victory. they met Miss Mary Wong and fight every inch of the way betheir opponents and it was mainly the brilliance of Diana Yung that saved them from

going to three sets. In the Junior Mixed Doubles. in which Diana and her partner. George Ma, are still in the semifinal stage, they have to be at their best to overcome Louis Sousac and Mrs M. Soares.

GOOD ENOUGH ON FORM Scusae and Mrs Soares are an unpredictable pair. On their form they are good enough to topple any of the favourite pairs, but speciators have so far seen them playing anything but mixed doubles badminton.

There are four pairs left in the Men's Junior Doubles'-B. Brown and H. J. Xavier and R.

#### NOTICE

#### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

In order to permit of the re-construction portion of the Grand Stand. the Club House will be closed at 9.00 p.m. on Saturday, 23rd April until further notice.

Neither meals nor refreshments of any kind will served from the closing of the Club House until transfers to Public Restaurant have been completed on 2nd May.

By Order of the Stewards, H. MISA,

4th April, 1955.

Diana Yung and Mary Wong Nunes and R. Remedios in the the women's discoveries lop section. George Ma

Of the four I predict George Ma and Wong Wal-hung should win the Junior Doubles. and Wong have shown consistent form throughout tournament and they should If Diana succeeds she will be have no difficulty in clearing their next obstacle-Wong and Brown and Xavier are the likely finalists in

is more of a doubles than a singles player. With Xavier giving Brown able support, this pair bent Numes and Remedies to enter the ficul Should George If Miss Chan's and Diana's Ma and Wong Wai-hung and Xavier and Brown clash in

Junior Doubles final this enthe Doubles as far as the Junior Championships are concerned. 'It will be a battle of attack,

which Ma and Wong excel, and defauce by Xavier and Brown.

QUITE A SURPRISE Whether Diana Yung and Dr K. S. Low astenished everyone, including the Thomas Cup selectors, which he eliminated M.

Ebrahim in the opening round took some time before she got selected to represent Hongkong into her stride. Diana Yung at Bombay but was left out of and Miss Chan were made to the team because of lack of the residential qualification, fore they managed to subdue always the master of Dr K. S. Low in trial matches.

His defeat, therefore, came as a surprise. I asked Ebrahim yesboth have Wong Wai-hung and S. K. terday the reason for his poor showing and he-attributed-hisdefeat to being off form.

> Bill Funk, a top contender for the title, impressed speciators with his straight sets victory over J. Soares. Funk was the first player in the Open Singles to score a love set win, ficial scores being 15-6, 15-0:

The stamina factor will play an important role for Bill Funk when he meets Dr K. S. Low in the semi-final. But he should not let this worry him too much as Low is essentially a doubles player and as far as stamina is concerned they are about equal Funk's real test will be in the

final that is, if he beats Low. With Ramon Young in the opposite court. Funk will have to bring out his best to stop Young from taking the Singles

In the Men's Open Doubles only two pairs have entered the semi-final-K. C. Wong and W. F. Foo and Ebrahim and P. V. Yap. Wong and Foo will meet Dr K. S. Low and Junior Pomeroy for the right to enter the final and in the other half clash with Ebrahim and Yap.

The finalists should come from the Wong and Foo and Robert Tay and Patrick Wong combinations. Of the two pairs. Robert Ebrahim, who was one of the Tay and Patrick Wong look good players to win the title for their com-All in all next week's badminton should produce thrilling matches and the highlight should be in the Junion

Singles and Doubles semi-finals

## Nominate YOUR

Members of the public are nominate whom they consider to be Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be received until the closing date to be announced later.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

(1) Footballing prowess.

(2) Sportsmanship on the field of play.

Nominations should be addressed to The Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

To The Editor, China Mail.

My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into regard his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play

Business women

SATURDAY

# Knowledge Of The Laws Is One Thing—But It's Their Application That Counts

Says L. M. MacTavish

There is no business like show business; there is no argument like a soccer argument; and similarly there is no evidence so unreliable as that offered by an interested defender of a particular cause.

In a recent report I criticised a particular aspect of the work of Referee Cabet during the China-England international and I may say that that criticism has been endorsed by other football folks since it was written.

published in this paper and, standable. was that the referee and his who shouts in such a way that earlier in the season. linesmen were right and my he baulks' an opponent, but it criticism was wrong. That is is difficult to see what immediate merely a matter of opinion and redress the players have when the correspondent is of course the referee is the culprit. entitled to that...but the sug-

well wide of the mark. It would be interesting to know if the writer of published letter compiled it before or after he read the reports of the Eastern-RAF game which was played at the Club Stadium on. Tuesday when the same official was in charge. Maybe he read what the morning press had to say about that, job of work. but, on the other hand, such un-

animous criticism would hardly suit his argument. As for as the off-side law concerned players in Hongkong are being penalised for slick thinking and fast movement: time after time thoughtful footballers anticipating the flight the ball find that their skill penalised by a stoppage for off-

indications of this error is that regularly the ball placed at the spot where player is actually located WHEN HE RECEIVED IT, although often he was many yards away from that spot when the ball was last played.

There was example of this in the game mer months can work apparent In the Mon's Open Singles, Robert Tay and Patrick Wong between China and England. He miracles on the pitch but in Cheung-yau moved away over spite of all the specialised treatto his left in clever anticipation or a long pass from Yiu Cheuk- it has not lasted as it was ex-

> stay on the safe side of Cromp- season it may not be up to the ton until the ball was played required standard when Septemand as soon as it was in flight | ber comes around he dashed through the defence lines. It was a brilliantly conceived move and there was not the slightest doubt that Ho was yards "clear" of the defenders when the ball landed at his feet. is the full list: Up went the linesman's flag and a kick was awarded to England on the exact spot where the China forward received although he had been at least 12 yards away when it

Such misinterpretation of the law amounts to a miscarriage of Stadium at 5.30 p.m. football justice. It means that the brilliant quick-thinking the meeting of Eastern common level and slow thinking this afternoon. A South China defenders are being accorded a measure of protection to which they are not entitled.

of England's defenders smiled in

relief-and probably sympathy—

with Ho Cheung-yau.

Oh, and just for the information of our correspondent would like to say that two of the colleagues who took particular interest in the off-side law last Sunday were sitting abreast the 18 yards line at both ends of the

#### LATEST THING

It was a great pity that some of the officials of the Referees' Association had not attended one of the Second Division games that was played the other even-They would have seen something that must surely be the latest thing in match control and they might also have seen the birth of a new era in refereeing.

In this particular game the first half was punctuated at regular intervals with loud thouts of Playton' from the man with the whistle and as there was no apparent necessity for such conduct it was difficult. indeed to see what purpose it

The job of the referee is surely to blow his whistle to start, stop

and where necessary, restart play, and spart from administering a caution or an administering a caution or an admonition to a player he is usually expected to remain quiet.

In the game in question the players complained bitterly about the disconcerting shouting of the referee, and it is a matter of some statistical interest that the officials of the competing teams counted the number of times they heard the shout Play-on during the second half and bewas nothing sotto voce about the shouts. and could be heard all over the ground and far beyond. The

Finally I give you a guarantee gestion that our referees are that there is not the, slightest omnipotent as far as the laws exaggeration in that report and of the game, go is not only what is more I have a reliable misleading it is, if present ex- witness for the whole show. He pert opinion is to be valued, was a prominent soccer legis-

#### ON WHICH GROUNDS?

summer football being organised different reasons one inevitably comes to the question grounds where the games be played.

The Club Stadium has stood up yery well to the soccer thrashing it has received this season. It has retained a fair surface and the ball is still playing with reasonable accuracy but ill must get a rest soon il it is to be in anything like firstclass condition next season. Things at Caroline Hill, how-

ever, are very different. The playing pitch is in a shocking condition and is unworthy of the fine stadium that surrounds judgement by the field officials it. It is uneven and very bumpy and the ball is no longer playing in such a way that a player can take its bounce for granted. Just how much more punishment can the ground take and still be ready for the next season?

I appreciate that the wet summent it received last close season pected to do. If it is now going to be subjected to still more He took the greatest care to football in the normal close

#### WEEK-END GAMES

Bay at 5.30 p.m.

There are several interesting games in the programme of games for this week-end. Here

League Division One Eastern v. South China 5.30 p.m. Club v. St. Joseph's at Ciu was last played. Even a couple Stadium at 5.30 p.m. CAA v. Navy at

The chief interest will be player is being reduced to a South China at Caroline Hill

# **SPORTS**

If Don Cockell heats Rocky Marciano will be be the first, second or third English World Heavyweight Champion this century?

Who was the last Englishman to hold the World Mile record Bannister?

complete the names of four lamous sportsmen; xxE DXXXX; GXXXX DXXX; MXXX HEXTEXXXX; BXX HXXXXX.

Who was the last British Open Golf Champion to successfully defend his title?

.Gentleman Jim met John

Surnames please of these sporting brothers, Denis and Leslie, Joe and Hashim and Azam. Joe and Fred,

Who won the Men's Doubles at Wimbledon last Who

Nationalities please of the following sportsmen: Ference Tony DeMarco Pascual Ulcich. Perez. Torber

9. Who was the last unsceded Singles final at Wimbledon? What is individual the record score?

During the week a letter fact that the players were dis- victory would merely emphasise from a correspondent was concerted was indeed under- their championship superiority but it would also give them intended or not, the Law 12 Section (i) allows sweet revenge for the defeat dominant theme of that letter the referee to punish a player which Eastern administered

> Eastern can repeat their win and in fact if they did so it would now be counted among the major upsets of the season. On form South China look set for a decisive victory but a lot will depend on the sort of tactics adopted by Eastern, nevertheless South China get my vote.

> It is always difficult to forecast a game in which St Joseph's are involved due to the changing faces in their line-up but 'provided they have the assistance of their Macan players they should not lose against Club, while over at Causeway Bay CAA should get two more points at the expense of Navy.

game of the weekend Sing Tao should just edge out RAF at Club Stadium iomorrow.



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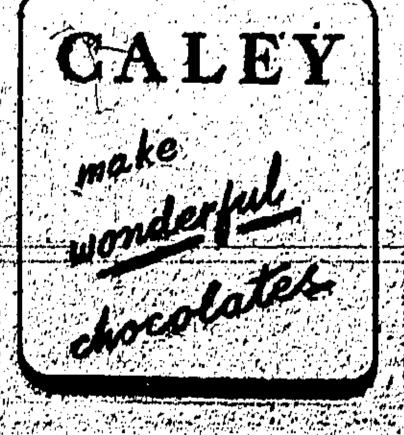


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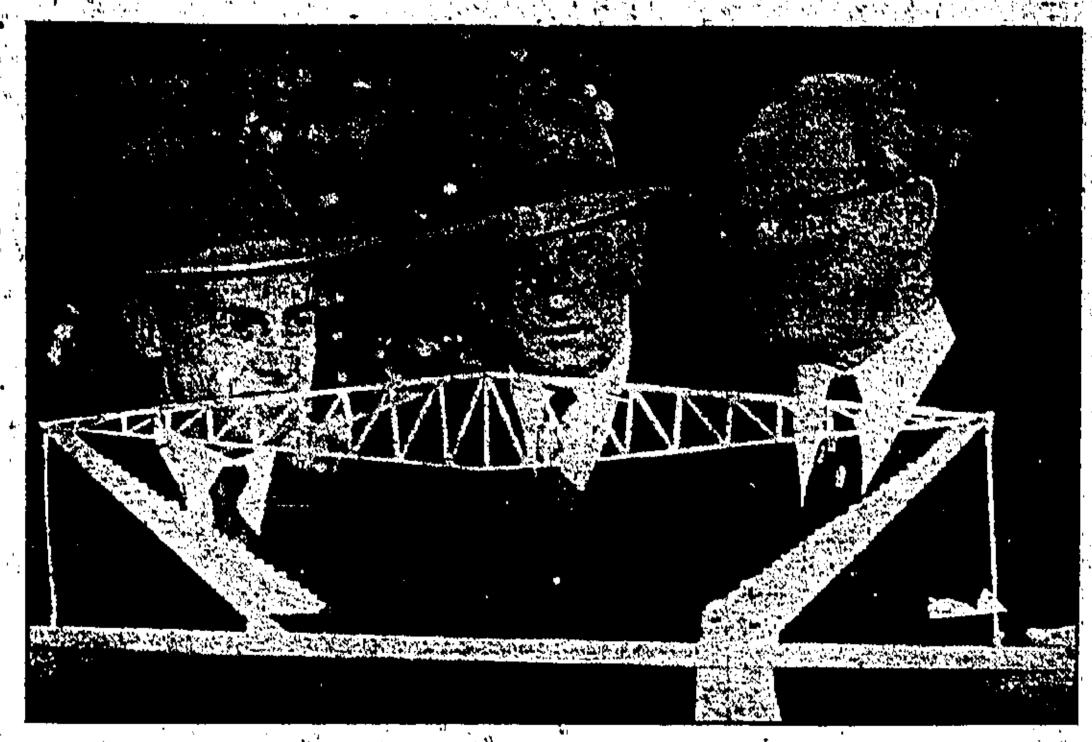




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## ROW OVER OLYMPIC GAMES SITE PLANS



declaration made in Melbourne by Mr Avery Brundage, Chairman of the International Olympic Committee, stated that he was not satisfied with the preparations for the Games, and that it was not too late to take the Games away from Melbourne (where they are to be held next year).

Mr Brundage said he knew of three cities which would be glad to take over. This declaration has led to a demand for the resignation of the Australian Minister of Interior and Works who is Chairman of the Organising Committee.

This picture received from Melbourne shows Mr Brundage examining a model of the construction form of the Olympic Swimming Pool during his six-day inspection of the Olympic sites in Melbourne. Centre is General Bridgeford, the Games Chief Executive, and on left is Mr Len Frazer, City Engineer. — Central Press Photo.

# Strain Of Personal Appearances For FA Cup Finalists

Says Tom Finney

How much money do you think players make who appear in the Cup Final? I ask the question because this week a chap said to me "I bet the Cup Final teams make a small fortune."

That remark made my blood boil. There are only a fortnight more to the Cup Final, but for the players taking part the excitement they feel is tempered by what can only be described as a nightmare existence.

Now don't get me wrong. There isn't a player breathing who doesn't dream of playing in a Wembley Final. I wouldn't mind going through the experience as many times as possible. But please don't think it is a cushy assignment.

Only this week I heard from Don Revie that he had nearly worn his legs out making personal appearances since Manchester City won through to Wembley.

other clubs, a player there is our old friend, the been complete. appearing in the Final might- ticket hunter. if he is lucky-eventually get | The first week after we had from the common pool £100. beaten Sheffield Wednesday in

people, but you wouldn't call it had to suspend spring cleaning a fortune, when you consider inperations to lend a hand with the vast amount of money the the letters. Some had enclosed Cup competition brings in. idea that this money is a gift. To most of the others I sent I know for a fact, that we in typed letter regretting Preston had to work for every couldn't help them with penny we got.

#### BEHIND THE SCENES

The football fan has no idea what goes on behind the scenes for a Cup Final team. has to be set aside for photographs; the organising of dances and social efforts. The Sup-

## Answers **Sports Quiz**

First. Sydney Wooderson. 3. Joe Davis: 4 Geoff

Harris. 4. James J. Corbett won the ter City have my sympathy too. title from John L. Sullivan. the field as well as on it!

5. Bobby Locke, winner in 1949 and 1950. 6. Compton, Davis, Khan.

7. Rex "Hartwig and Mervyn Rose of Australia. Argentinian, Danish.

And that includes all his Cup the Cup semi-final last year had 300 applications for tickets This may seem a lot to some at my home. My wife Elsie money and these had to And don't run away with the sorted separately and returned.

> One chap in Preston even offered a motor car worth about £50 for two Cup Final tickets. There is just no end Some people even sent their wives and children round to our house asking for tickets. This is the sort of thing player has to put up with. So you see he earns every penny

he gets. It isn't easy to 'No" so many hundreds But as Don Revie said to me: "It's a lot of worry, Tom, but

ting up with it again." You can bet your life wouldn't. But from now until Reg. Cup Final day the players of Newcastle United and Manches-

World Heavyweight boxing They'll be run off their feet-off The League programme is winding up to a really thrilling receive the ball, while both full finish. Chelsea favourites now for the Championship. But who goes down forward, after playing the ball, Mexican, with Sheffleld Wednesday the Second Division? Kurt Nielsen of Denmark. which of the Second Division move swiftly into the 334 by Don Bradman teams is going to win promo- space created. I've seen this against England at Leeds in tion? I can never remember a trick produce a goal or two, 1930.

to Wembley we decided to pearances and if any firm signs this crucial stage of the season. pean championships this year, Kelly is presently in training in organise a Cup Final pool in up a Cup final team for adver- The provincial newspapers has caused genial Jack to be which all first team players, two tising purposes, then the team have done a wonderful job in cast in the role of the Big Bad trainer, would usually has to make more per- keeping us all informed about Wolf and has added fuel to the Any money received sonal appearances at stores in what is happening in the sports fire. advertising or writing the town. Night after night, world. I shudder to think what The fight will be staged as the newspaper articles was pooled. day after day this goes on . . . it would be like if the close- highlight event of "an tostal" From enquiries I have made and as if this isn't enough, down on all sports news had -Ireland's annual "at home to

#### GOSSIP COLUMN

The Sports writers have their critics. We might not always agree with their opinions. But in these past few weeks I think every Soccer fan and player has come to realise what an important part the Press plays in keeping the public informed. not only with the results and League tables, but in the gossip columns as well.

One famous player actually rang me last week-end to see if I could tell him the "League positions. He had not been lucky enough to get a sports final, and was completely in the dark about the League posi-

tions after the Saturday game. At the kick-off you know just how the other team will be positioned. This is a good time to plan a move with some hope of success, particularly as the opposition can be taken by surprise. Try this little manoeuvre.

centre-forward, as scon as he has played the ball, I'll bet you wouldn't mind put- runs at top speed into an insideright position some 25 yards

> The centre half seeing his man dart through like this, will almost certainly follow him and a gap is momentarily left in midfield. The inside-left should run into this open space to backs are still standing wide. In other words, the centre into acts as a decoy to open up the And defence. The inside-left must

# GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED TITLE FIGHT ON 27 AT DUBLIN

W. THORNBERRY

Dublin, Apr. 22.

Seats go on sale within a fortnight for the European Featherweight title fight between France's Ray Famechon and Irishman Billy Kelly here on May 27, with the organisers hoping a campaign against the bout now underway among Amateur boxing fans doesn't explode into a major controversy.

The fight is being organised jointly by the Government-sponsored Bord Failte (the national tourist board) and British promoter Jack Solomons. So far followers of the "simon-pure" side of the sport have already put up three arguments why the fight should NOT take place.

Firstly, it is claimed that which will have to be passed by professional boxing is, on the the City Corporation and the whole, a sport completely alien police. Biggest problems to be to a country like Ireland where met are the safety regulations. amateurism. Secondly, it is disclosed that many more exits never been successful here sides. Another problem will be financially and the tax payer the dispersal of petrol fumes will be left holding the empty presently strongly in evidence. money bags. Thirdly, the antipro adherents are angered by Dalymount Park soccer ground

Outwardly unmoved, but up to his suggestions, Solomons keeping a weather eye on the tried unsuccessfully to get pro Outwardly unmoved, gathering storm, Bord Failte's boxing on its feet here in the Aidan O'Hanlon announced 3,500 seater Theatre Royal calmly about 6,000 seats priced the past but the complaint was from one guinea (2.94 dollars) the same—the cheapest seats to five guineas would go on sale were too far from the ring. "within a fortnight."

And the concensus was that every seat could be sold three times over, such is the expected demand for pasteboards.

The Irish Amateur Boxing Association has made no official comment but it is known that many of its officials are angry about Bord Failte's part in the staging. They maintain a government - sponsored agency should have no part in the proourely mercenary.

Boxing circles here believe behind a number of top-level especially as it might turn out to be the sort of glamour attraction which could decide a number of promising amateurs strong nationalistic flavour. here to turn pro.

SOLOMONS' PATRONAGE ring, there are a score who are merely exploited for the profit or English promoters and managers. The belief current in Dublin that Ireland's top amateur star, Harry Perry, will know just how Don feels, porters' club assuably call on the wide open. What a pity the turn pro under Solemons' Last year when Preston went players to make personal ap- newspaper strike has come at patronage after the Berlin Euro-

miles from the city centre.

working on alteration plans career."---United Press.

TOGETHER

argued that pro-boxing has will be necessary along the two When Solomons turned down Solomons part in the proceed- as a possible venue, only Donnybrook garage measured

#### TRADITIONAL HABIT

Dalymount was ruled out after the locals explained the traditional habit of Dublin fight fans tathlon have been sent to all moters "fair game" to be with the request that intending cheated by paying the lowest entrance fee and then by many Secretary as to whether they means wind up in the ringside will take part. As some cir-

motion of any sport , which is stealth and sometimes by a some intending participants may concerted rush about quarter not have gathered up enough way through the programme energy to reply, it is emthat the IABA is the power Latecomers who paid sums for phasised that any member of previous Dalymount fights have arrived to find tough citizens parked in their seats and show- he turns up at Wah Yan ing no inclination to move: a 2 p.m. The supporting bill has

Featherweight Johnny McNall of Belfast meets Teddy Peckham The IABA feel that for one of Bournemouth, England; light lad who makes good in the pro weight Peter Sharpe of Belfast Galway, Ireland and Jim Fisher of Belfast scraps Micky Roche of Dublin in another Featherweight bout. McNally is a former Olympic finalist, Another two or three fights have yet to be added to the card.

Meanwhile, the 23-year-old his home town of Derry, in expert eye of his famous father, "spider" Kelly, the former Bri-Empire Featherweight

He is quietly confident but the world" period from May realises Famechon's ability. 8-29,—at the sprawling modern | "Ray Famechon is the finest man bus garage in the Donnybrook of his weight in Europe," he suburb of Dublin, about four said, "And I know well that I am" facing the fight of my life, are presently the toughest battle of

AGAIN

The Third Annual Hong-Amateur Athletic Club Pentathlon Championship, will be held tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon at Wah Yan College Kowloon, Waterloo Road, commencing

at 2 p.m. Circulars regarding this Penconsider boxing pro- active members of the HKAAC participants inform the Hon. culars may have gone astray Sometimes they do it by through change of address and the club wishing to participate College Kowloon on Sunday at

> There is no entry fee. The events are the 440 Yards, High Jump, Long Jump, Shot Put (12lbs) and Javelin Throw. The decision as to whether the 440 Yards will be the first or last event of the afternoon will be left to a vote of the participants. Scoring will be according to the Milocarian table.

The winner will be awarded the J.A.C. Hurlbatt Cup and there will be an award also for the runner-up. The Pentathlon is the HKAAC's main sporting and social event of the year and it is desirable that every member who possibly can will participate. The record entry was 17 in 1953 and the HKAAC Committee hope that this figure will be approached on Sunday as the Club's active membership now the highest on record.

## Lanadians Different!

Canadians have broken four records this spring—but they won't help the country win the Olympic Games at Melbourne next year.

In Hawkesbury, Ontario, baker and a machinist claimed new world non-stop rocking chair title - by rocking for 92 hours in an automobile-dealer's window:

kept a pipeful of 3.3 grams of tobacco smoking for 39 minutes,

15 seconds, 🗀 Also in Montreal, a frogunan underwater the claimed " endurance record by staying submerged in a water tank for more than 24 hours while other frogmen helped pass the time by playing cards with him. And in Granby Quebec Marcel Coutre played a piano for 30 hours 30 minutes without pause — (London Express Service).

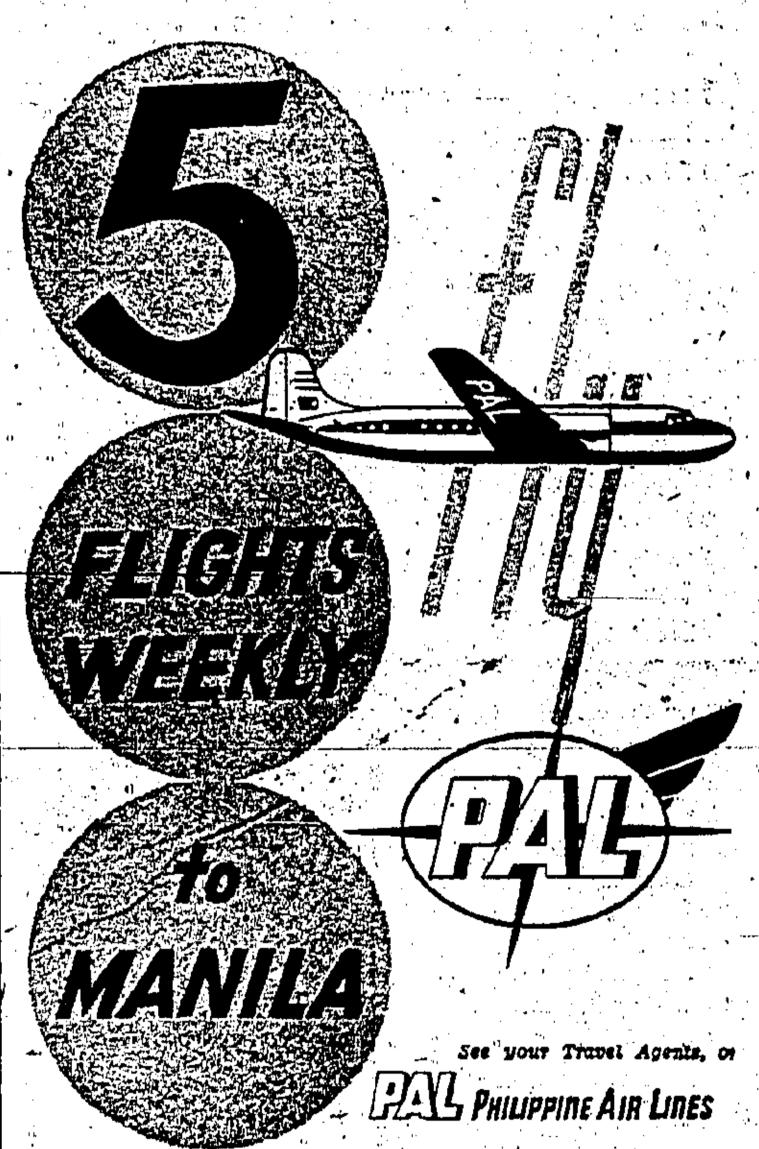
# TODAY

(CH) 5.30 p.m.; Club v St Joseph's (Club); CAA v Navy (Navy). All matches commencing at 5.30 p.m. Div. 2 "A": Eastern v South China (CH); Club v St Joseph's (Club); RAF v Police (ES). All matches at 4 p.m.
Div. 2 "B": Little Sai Wan v.CMB
(Navy) at 4 p.m.
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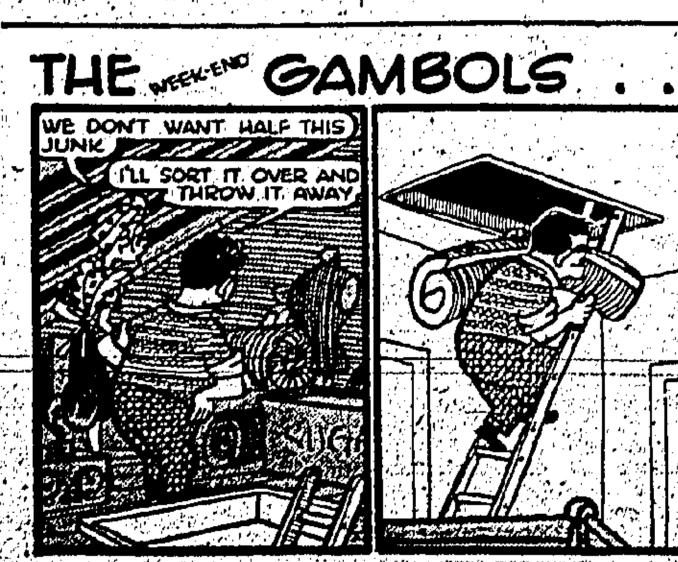
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TOMORROW

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The Bedser twins, Alec (left) and Eric, photo-

graphed at Tilbury on arrival home in the Orsova from

Australia. Alec, unlucky man of the MCC tour, will

be eager to re-establish himself in County and Test

cricket.—Central Press Photo.

#### BOYS FEATURES FOR

# YOUR PUZZLE CORNER

CROSSWORD

DIAMOND

LUXEMBURG MIX-UPS

rearrange the letters in each

CODED MESSAGE

The Puzzleman has sub-

stituted a simple 'code for the

correct letters of his sentence

about Luxemburg. Just as a

clue, that's the first word. Can

Kiwdlatqf hr qikdo ax Fqzmc

GOLDFISH

SURE I CAN SWALLOW COLDFISH

LOVE EM ...

' (Solutions on Page 20)

Heres <u>How...</u>

CUT PIECES OF RAW

CARROT INTO GOLDFISH

NOW...HOLD A PIECE OF

THE CARROT IN YOUR

THE BOWL .

HAND AND PRETEND TO

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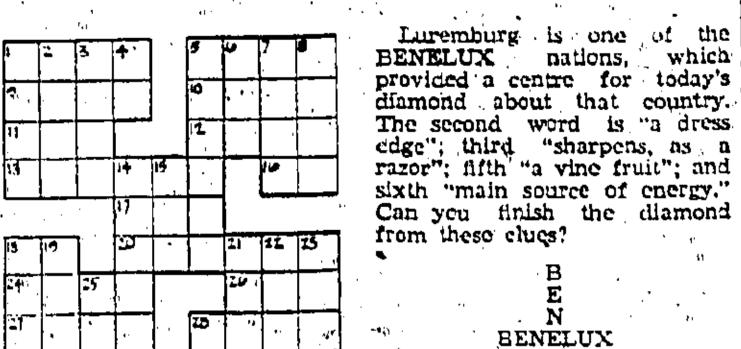
DOLLS MANNER LAWS

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Units of weight

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28 Italian coins

29 Cotton fabric

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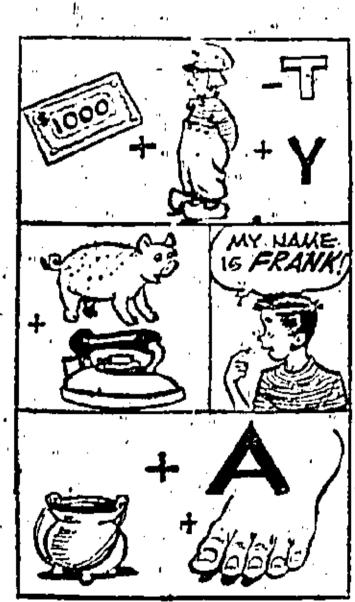
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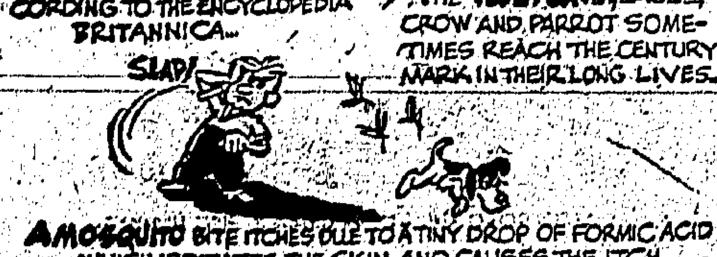
#### LUXEMBURG REBUS

Use the words and pictures to fullest advantage to find the four facts about Luxemburg that have been concealed in this









# Inca Mailmen Took Knots, Not Notes -

By R. S. Craggs

DY THE MIDDLE of the D 15th century the Incas of Peru had a postal system superior to any then existing in Europe. The messages were carried by runners (for vehicles were unknown) throughout the length of. the empire at an average speed of about seven miles

Each runner ran, only as far as it was possible for to do so without slackening speed. That is, from one post to the next. Here are three more facts perorder that no time might be directions.

Solve Fable

SMOZIKER

in the country

circus came to town it was

Children loved to watch

John Smoziker and his 17

lions sit down at a table and

Hon tamer amused many chil-

"We have been very happy

name is famous throughout the

are only three large circuses in boys.

sons Paul, Peter, and Poro.

together." he told them.

all of Baldania. Each of

not be sad, my children, when

am gene. Just make children

A month later the great John

this earth. The Queen declared

a day of mourning for this great

man. Then the three children

were called into the lawyer's

will and told me to carry out his

wishes. He leaves his 17 lions

to his three wongerful sons

Paul is the oldes, he is to have

one half of the lions. Peter

Paul, Peter, and Poro.

one third of the lions.

MAN you

this?

PILL'S BOON

the name of a bird.

Have you got it?

birds' names from:

1: SOW WALL

do

**SPOONBILL** 

See if you can get

"Your father has given me his

Smoziker had departed

will work in one of them.

happy with the lions."

vou each to continue

always crowded.

on his old violin.

most famous

Whenever

He would make the

would dance while he played have one ninth."

For half a century this famous his two brothers.

So he sent for his three good we going to do?"

dren. But now he was getting according to the manner set

very old. And he knew soon he forth in the will without cutting

would depart from this world, up some lion meat. What are

lions. In my will I will divide Finally, Bopo Garanika, an old

the lions among you. There lion tamer, came to visit the

MIXED

17 Circus

The three children were very

much puzzled. Paul spoke for

""We can't divide up 17 lions

For the next month everyone

"I was a dear friend of your

ather." he said. "and I will

show you how to divide up the

lions without cutting up some

lion meat. Come with me to

of his own, so that now there

were 18. The oldest son then

took half of the 18, which was

nine; the second son took one

third of the 18, which was six:

Add them all up and you get

you can spend a million years

looking for the catch.

the cages there were 17

Bopo had brought a lion

in Baldania worried about the

with the three sons and their lions.

your cages."

Then another runner took lost. A post house was. The messengers travelled over, running beside the situated on each side of the both day and night. This is preceding one long enough road to take care of mes- understandable when it is to master the message, in sages travelling by in both learned that the distance to be covered was often 1.000 miles!

The Incas had no written language so it may be difficult for us to understand done by word of mouth but more complex message were sent by knotted cords as quipus. This method of keeping records was used by the Incas for Lacedelli. Both, are mountain both calculation in arithme- guides. The leader of the extic and to take the place of writing. It is doubtful the runners could read the of Milan. messages that they carried for the understanding them was very complex and 11 climbers. One of the climthe knowledge was passed actually eat. Then they Poro, who is the youngest, is to on only to members of the

> However, even today is possible to see a llama by a simplified system of the knotted cords—a remnant of the ancient culture of the

> > By MAX TRELL

THE telephone rang and

turned-about names, ran be-

usual kind of place. It was

Who's There?

"Hello," Knarr said into

with wires like threads.

Knarf and

shadow-children

and the youngest took one ninth hind the bookcase to answer

And Bopo took back his of telephone which is

the eighteen, which was two it. It wasn't the usual kind

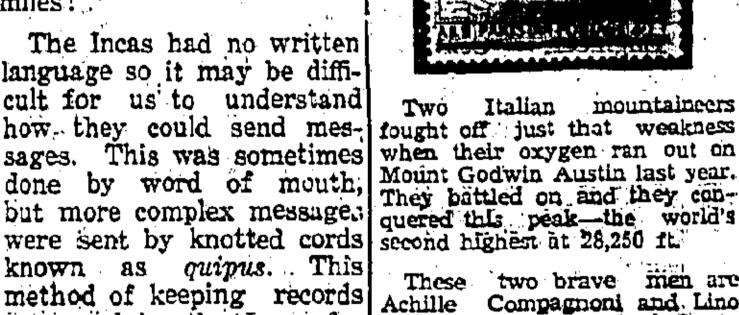
This is how it was done and about as big as a peanut,

Everyone was now reason why it wasn't in the

ruling class. The study of

the quipus took up a year

of their four years' 'educa-



He Put His Foot In It

pecition was Professor Ardito Desio, director, of the geological institute of the University With him on the mountain

oxygen from the air to keep you alive. But the air is

thin in those altitudes and

there is little oxygen in it

Your head reels. You want

to slump down in the snow

Of were four other scientists and bers, Puchoz, died pneumonia. In honour of all these ad-

venturers, a fine stamp showing Mount Godwin Austin, also known as K2, is issued now by Pakistan, in whose territory the mountain stands.

The peak soars up in splendour from a glacier valley and looms stark against the blue sky herder counting his charges in a way which would daunt all but the boldest climbers.

The stamp is recess-printed perforated 13 and costs 5d, in London. Very nice, too. — J. A. A.

#### SATURDAY, APRIL 23

DORN today, you are a natural leader in the field of ideas and there is more latent ability in your make-up than you

There is a high emotional torrent within which needs

While there may be alternating cycles of good, and ill fortune throughout your life, you will reach the same which you deserve if you are conscientions and cultivate will power. Let every obstacle serve as a new challenge!

statesman; William Shapespeare; Edwin Markham; poet; Arthur

your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. your birthday star be your daily guide.

#### SUNDAY, APRIL 24

-Get into the country and let Recreation appropriate to a the beauties of nature inspire Surday is well-ravoured. you and give you new zest for you are invited to the country,

family into the car for a plea- inspiration and real encouragement today from a good sermon. CANCER (June 22-July 23) -- CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan.

for Enjoyment.

picnic answer.

(Sept. 24-Oct. 23)- good.

makes the world go

heavy traffic. PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)days when the Mental relaxation is just as imstars say you need to be a little portant as bodily rest. A change of scene might do you a lot of

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)round, this should be one of An April shower need not upset your most whirling days! plans for the entire day. The sum is bound to shine again.

DORN today, you have one of those well-diciplined minds which cuts through red tape and gets to the heart of a matter. You are sympathetic and understanding of the troubles of others and are the type to invite their confidence. Although you may go off on flights of fancy on your own account—you have an inventive streak which inspires this at times—you swing back to solid conservatism when it comes to giving advice to others. In other words, you don't always practise what you

Fond of children, you will make a fine teacher or personnel consultant. Your magnetic personality makes people like you on sight. No doubt, you would also do well on any job where you were supposed to be a "trouble shooter" or efficiency engineer for a large corporation. You would be able to make reforms without being resented as interfering. You have the knack of being able to be politic when 'it comes to making criticism. This is because you never tear down without offering or asking others for a constructive suggestion. This makes for better cc-operation.

Your emotions operate at a low boiling point and you must take care that you do not mistake a temporary infatuation for a lasting," love. Marriage to the right one will bring you exceptional happiness. Among those born on this date are: Thomas A. Emmet, Irish

patriot: John A. Alexander, educator: John Trumbull, poet and jurist; Blanche Ring, actress; Santos Dumont, ploneer aviator; Leslie Howard and Cyril Maude, actors. To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select

your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. your birthday star be your daily guide.

#### MONDAY, APRIL 25

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21) GEMINI (May 22-June 21) -- those times! Back to work-and it may not

spring sunshine, but do your 22)—Being conscientious on the CANCER (June 22-July 23) -- of advancing If you have the "molly-grubs,": get busy and you'll forget all

you need it. VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 23) You could lose the opportunity Don't stick too closely to that way

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) -It may be your turn to catch Sometimes surprises are on the the gold ring today. Be on the the excitingly pleasant side. lookout for a prize opportunity! Tonight is likely to be one of

be easy if the day is lush with SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. job is the best and surest way

> CAPRICORN (Dec. 21-Jan.

## Stamp: To Honour Mountaineers IMAGINE yourself climb-ing nearly five miles up a mountain and suddenly your oxygen supply runs You rip off the mask and suck in deep breaths, trying all the time to get enough

"Thank goodness you've come!"

recognise during early youth. It behooves parente of those born on this day to see that their children's natural inclinations are developed so that the germ of genius is nurtured. "There is a natural sense of the dramatic; a definite gift for the written word; and the ability to analyse character with almost psychic accuracy.

adequate expression and direction if it isn't to burst forth in fits of moodiness or violent temper. Self-control is of the utmost importance. That lesson, once learned, is one which must not be forgotten. A wrong word or deed might bring down a whole tower of success and you would have to start up again from the bottom.

Among those born on this date are: Chauncey, M. Depew.

T. Hadley, coucator; Shirley Temple and Simone Simon, him stars; Thomas Nelson Fage, author, and James Buchanan U.S. To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21) SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)-

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)-A fine day for an outling. Per- BAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. haps you can pile the whole 22)-You may find spiritual

Make no attempt to catch up 20)-Don't attempt too much on any work. After church at- entertaining, for this is a day tendance, get out into the open when you should get some rest,

(July 24-Aug. 23) -- AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19) evening with -If the day is fine, then the friends and close relatives. A world is probably taking to the be the read. Be careful, if driving in

more careful than usual

-That's How Willy Got "Stuck" in the Pond-

Romance is in the air.

Teddy was carrying a heavy

They rubbed Willy's foot with

liniments and tonic and salve

and gave him hot soup to drink

About an hour later, Willy was

hopping up and down as briskly

When Knari and Hanid saw

covered they asked him to tell

how he had happened to get his

not very usual,"

"Nothing that I ever do

t happened. I went down to the

"This is how

foot caught in the ice.

usual." said Willy.

Willy was completely re-

phone. "Who is it, please?" It turned out to be Willy Toad who announced that he had very important news.

"Willy's got important news, Knart said to Hanid.

out what it is " said

On asking Willy what his important news was, Knert found out that Willy's foot was caught in the pond. "Your foot is caught in

Knari shouted into the "How can -your foot get phone. caught in water?" "That's it," said Willy, "There's

no more water in the pond." No more water? What havepened to it?"...

Ice Breaker Needed Willy, "It's on top of it. I didn't know how

all foe. My foot's stuck in the I could get to see my friend ice I'd be obliged if you'd come Supry at all. But forthwatch I down here with an ax and choo discovered a crack in the ice me out." right near the bank. It was not long after this telephone conversation that Knarf

They found Willy sitting on the edge of the bank with one foot "I know, the crack closed up,"

and Toddy the Stuffed Bear.

Teddy the Stuffed Bear, who whole story!" was stronger than all the rest

they all lived.

# Protecting Feet

md Hanid started down to the "So," continued Willy, "I knelt pond, accompanied, by General down and looked through tha Tin the Tin Soldier, Mr Punch, crack into the water below. Sure enough there was Sunny, waving Teddy the Stuffed Bear was ed sliding down through the carrying a heavy ax over his crack. I just got my foot in

strick in the ice, just ga he said said Knort. flick in the ice, just a willy modded.

of the party, quickly chopped the ... Teddy the Stuffed Bear had the carried him to a warm corner of look in the crack in the ice. In foot except walk on it."

#### pond to pay a visit to my friend the Sunfish. He lives in the pond. When I got there I saw that the pend had a cover of see

about being in a bad mood.

routing. Experiment with some- PISCES (Feb. 26-Mar. 20)thing new, and speed up your To make personal progress in a

Combine business and social ARIES (Mer. 21-Apr. 20)effairs today. Increase your Keep closely to your regular the cellar of the house where fact, never do anything with your popularity to your distinct ad-routine and don't be lived into ventage.

201-Unleis you can make a LEO (July 24-Aug. 23) contructive suggestion, don't be This may be a day when a too critical or just find fault. friend is really a friend indeed. AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19) Don't hesitate to seek advice if .- Never heritate too long over making an important decision.

highly competitive age, you need LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23) - to show ambition and initiative.

# WHICH IRRITATES THE SKIN AND CAUSES THE JTCH.



change his course and return to the earth, but nothing he does makes any difference. He is now above the trees where birds call to him in astonishment and is travelling duite fast towards a large building rising from the



hit that place if something doesn't stop me !" he gasps. Then he notices a huge, polished funnci sticking out from near the top of the building and realises that he is being pulled straight to it.

# Rupert and the Inventor-22

. MAIN STRAND

6. I. GOLF, MAN

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7. HANGING TILE

8. BRIDGE A RUG

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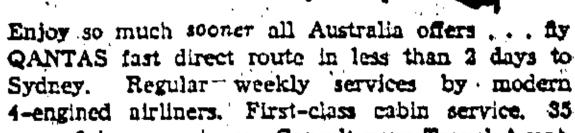
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# BRIDGE

Tourney. Comes With Sharp Play

By OSWALD JACOBY

TATHEN today's hand was played last year in the championship match at Monte Carlo, the American declarer got to six diamonds by means of the bidding shown in diagram. The slam was a precarious contract, and the bidding cannot therefore be recommended, but the play had one or two points of interest.

Before we abandon the bidding, let's see where it went sour. South should have bid only two no-trump at his second turn. Such a jump rebid in notrump shows balanced distribution, stoppers in the unbid suits, and a count of 19 to 21 points. This would have been a perfect description of the South

When South actually bid three no-trump, he showed hand that was too good for bid of two no-trump. Hence he should have held at least 22 points, or at worst he might have held an exceptionally attractive 21-point hand. Give South about three extra points, and the slam isn't at all unreasonable.

West opened the six of spades against the actual contract of six diamonds. This strange choice was made on the theory that it was more "important" to

NORTH (D) 19  A J  V A J 1082  P 9762  K 85  WEST EAST  A 86432  A K 1097	in that way to the melodeon.  Unless you are a Greek, I think it is difficult to like their wine—even the Kephesia which I drank in a tavern outside. Athens, or the nobly-named Bacchus I had in Mitylene. I
▲ 86432	believe it came from Santorin of the Cyclades (where the bicycle was invented). Chios produces a wine called Homer's Nectar (ye gods and goddesses!), and a raki or "brandy" which is as frightful as the rotgut which the French workmen call schnick. There used to be
 North South vul.  North East South West  Pass Pass 1   Pass Pass 1   Pass 3 N.T. Pass	"Samian" wine in France, but I will bet 132,000 litres of Cyprus Liebfraumilch that it

keep declarer in the dark as to the distribution than to give accurate information to the other defender.

Opening lead-6

It didn't make any difference in this hand, and the whole question is open to debate. It's hard to know when it's important to inform your partner and when it's more important misinform the enemy.

East played the king of spades, and Don Oakie, the San Francisco expert, won the first trick with the acc of spades. Oakie next got to dummy with the king of clubs and led a low trump. East naturally played low, and Oakie put up the king

of diamonds. needed the rest. He had to finesse through West for king of hearts and then finessed through East for jack of diamonds. Both finesses succeeded, so Oakie made his

opinion, when he took the first whether his attention has been trump trick with his ace. If called to the inferior quality of he had played his low trump ball-bearings in roller-skates. without hesitation, declarer Give him a hand, viewers! would naturally assume that Techee-hee-hee. Ha-ha."

East had the ace of diamonds. "O cuckoo, South would get back to dummy to lead another trump, and he would probably put up the of diamonds on the second trick. West would win with the ace, and East would then get another trump trick then get another trump with the jack.

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	<u> </u>
Q-The bidding has been:	
orth East South Wes	st
Club Pass 1 Diamond Pas	
	. ]
Clubs Pass 7	. ∙ {

You, South, hold: Spade 8, Hearts 9-7, Diamonds A-K-J-9-7-2, Clubs K-Q-5-3. What do

A-Bid five clubs. There should be a very reasonable play for game even if North has a minimum opening bld. If North has two or three aces as part of his strength, he can even take a shot at six clubs.

TODAY'S QUESTION The bidding is the same as in the question just, answered. You, South, hold: Spade 8, Heart 7, Diamonds A-Q-1-8-6-2, Clubs A-7-5-3-2. What do

Answer on Monday

## POPULAR RECORDS

## four letters or more can rote make from the letters in on the right f word

amall squares may be used once only. Each word must contain the karry letter to the centre square, and there must be at least one albe-letter word in the list. No plurals: no foreign words, no proper names. TU-DAY'S TARGET: 20 words, good: 25 words, pery good: 26 words.

Solution tomorrow. YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION: Eight either fight fighter fire firer firth freight FREIGHTER frier fright frit right rite their thief tier tiger tire right rite their thief tier tiger tire

By M. BENOIT Black, 9 pieces.

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White, 9 pieces. White to play: mate in two.

1, R-Q1, any; 2. Q. R. or Kt

sensitive nostrils to and iro,

like the old fellow in Drum-

keerin who used to keep time

made at Cette,

paradise of taked and adulter-

AT a corner table Sir Harry

A Thirst was busy making

tiny marks on a pack of cards.

"Never mark your cards in

public," said Foulenough, with

you mean to say you cheat even

yourself?" asked the Captain.

Thirst, "And, enyhow, it keeps

A debates in the Commons

these who are tortured by dull

programmes. The next demand

will be for a "quizmaster" to

preside over a panel which will

intervene at question time.

Then will come requests for a few musical numbers and

dance or two during uninteresting debates. And, of course, a

running commentary: "Here's

to ask the Home Secretary

shall I call thee bird?"

VENTRILOQUIST at Brid-

12 port who landed a silent

three gate-leg tables, Stack-

house's "History of the Bible,"

milkman at an auction

Nether Fimbleton.

Gogglewick, Labour,

be televised

in Technicolour.

··because

He's going

demands that the

a democracy"—(carry

in a little basket!)-

the stricken cry of

good practice,"

benign smile. "It's only

patience," replied Thirst.

Glamoursession

me cut

ated wines.

In the bar

. BY . THE . WAY .

by Beachcomber

ISS Georgia Gibbs, who pace for girl singers with her "Tweedle Dee," now has hit othat should please the young rock-androll crowd.

"Dance with It's called and it has plenty of bounce. of this Mercura wafer is Georgia at her best with a zingy interpretation of that old jazz 'Ballin' "the Jack."

Another top single-Mercury | combines Cruzy Otto Rag" medley of "Nobody's Swee"heart" and "Somebody Stole My Gal" on the second. This is real beer-hall plane music produced by Hugo and Luigi, with the Hoffbrau singers.

Teen-age turn-table: Fish," already high on its way to the top among rhythm and blues tunes, owes much of its popularity to Mindy Carson's fine vocalising on the Columbia label. It is an excellent ar-Solution to yesterday's rangement, with a male chorus and a steady rhythmic beat in the background. "The Fish" not only has true rock-and-roll

four-poster beds, refused to

make a statement. He escaped

apparently, called him a great

CROSSWORD

. As steady as this is an old say-ing. (9)

8. Merryman, moping mum, had sad one. (4)
9. This strikes fearfully. (3)

11. The song is merry, though it may be in a few parts. (9)
12. Scarlet in the garden. (6)

14. With ground after it, this makes

a London feature. (5)
18. What a 18 Down does. (4)
18. Start this way to make a lolli-

24. This light was a sky feature not so long ago. (6)

25. This alters colour. (3)
26. Add a quay to make a Devo:
spot. (3)

Too far to make a hover race

Talkative, 19)
Has the kangaroo stopped short of his usual distance? (9)

4. Tree for a man on the city council? (5)
5. Play back the reel? (4)
6. Winter's one was told by

Shakespeare. (4)
7. Knowledgeable. (5)
8. This is very small change to a Frenchman. (3)
10. It comes before "Right" often enough in the army. (4)
15. A reader of this may find situations are not always as new as the description indicates. (5)
16. Watcher of the future? (4)
17. Cane is returned four-little of the way. (5)
19. It carries a burden at testime.

story is all APO O ON IC ways cheered UPRIGHTSH to this. (4)
21. Northern NDISHDATA
21. Northern NDISHDATA
21. Northern DISTEMPER
Diethors OI ELIJAHPAR
2000 things. RANKRUEDII

23. 25 Across ETGATEDEN
may be this. RESISTING
to live nightly
coloured. (3) reserves solution

pop. (4). 19. Part of your faith. (5)

Streamlet. (6)

13. Before part of the beret. (3)

had.

while a police-sergeant

arresting a clerk who

fat bag of lard.

#### roll in the lyrics, a big asset. Jazz Gem: "Latin American Dikieland," four standards by Panama Francis and his Dixie Don Juans (M-G-M). Includes "Beale Street Blues," "Panama," "Dend End Blues" and "Fidgety Fcet." More Divie than Latin. A new Epic 12-inch album,

rhythmy but also has rock and

Lester Leaps In," brings back the music of Count Basic and his orchestra. It features the tenor sax of Lester Young on all 12 numbers, including "Rock-a-Bye Basie" and "12th St. Rag." Mambo of the Month: "Let's Mambo," 12-mambos played on a Decca LP by Sonny Burke and his Orchestra. Most amazing number - "Walter"

Best historical album: "Song of the North and South," Decea 12-inch, contains 38 soldier songs of the Blue and the Gray which are handled sym-pathetically by Frank Luther and Zora Layman.

Hillbilly hit; "The Ballad of Davy Crockett," from the Disneyland TV show. Four new recorded versions are offered by Burl Ives (Decca), Tennessee Ernie Ford (Capitol), The Voices of Walter Schumann and Sons of the Pioneers (RCA-Victor).

---WILLIAM D. LAFFLER

## New York's Black Belt

(Continued from Page 5)

party at, say, 25 cents a head. It is only necessary to engage a COME recent praise of Greek a Landseer, two chandeliers, a planist and to throw the house my grand piano, a walnut desk, a open. If the planist is a good Jacobean wardrobe, and five one it will not be long before four-poster beds, refused to all suitable rooms are chock-ablock with dancing couples.

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purely animal, the pianist chopping his rhythm into barbaric quarter-beats, while the dancers perform with the movements used by plantation darkies to scrape the river ooze from their flat feet.

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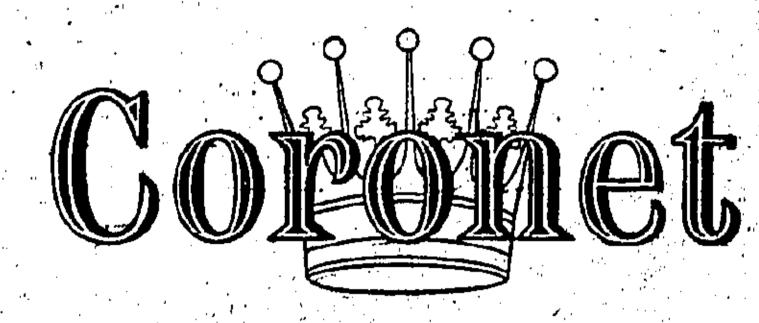
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4. It may be associated with the preceding word in a saying, simila metaphor, or association of ideas.

(Solution on Page 29)

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APRIL 23, 1955.

# 'Kotelawala Distorted

London, Apr. 22.

"There is widespread suspicion

as to the aim of the Coylonese

Prime Minister in giving this

Press conference. It had been

noted that Kotelawala suddenly

left the chief delegates' meeting

which was in secret session and

called the Press conference be-

OVERRODE AGENDA

that at yesterday's afternoon

session of the chief delegates'

meeting Kotelawala made a

statement "which overrode

the arenda," the Agency

All this "gives rise to suspi-

Zatopek

Zatopek, triple

medalist at the 1952 Olympic

Games, will try to beat his

own world record for 10,000

Metras on May 15, according

newspaper Vecerni "Praha.

The paper quoted Zatopek

Zatopek by a local author.

near here.

Zatopek said he would make the

His present record set in Brussels

last year is 28 minutes 54.2

seconds and the famous dis-

tance runner, now 32; has set

himself the task of breaking

two long distance world re-

cords this season.—Reuter.

to tonight's "Prague eventug

telling a group of boys and

girls of his intention when dis-

cussing with them a new chil-

dren's book written about

attempt at a trial at Houstka,

Record

cion that behind all this is the

scheme of a third party to sabotage the Asian-African con-

ference."-Reuter.

It had also been noted

hind the back of the meeting."

#### Flying Ants Like Taste Bacon

Pietermaritaburg, Apr. 22. Mr E. W. Sampson, linison officer in the Native Affairs Department,

enthusiastic about esting

onterpillars and fried fly-

ing ants are rich in

vitamins. He said that eat-

ing locusts, caterpillars

and beetles had saved the

Shangaan natives of the

Transysal and Rhodesia

from extinction many

An offshoot of rom the

broke sway from the main

tribe and wandered through

Portuguese East Africa into

This enforced pilgrimage

Transvaal and

them to conserve

have tasted fried

London, Apr. 22.

ended on the Moor

First stage in the building

of Britain's Ryder Cup team

Park course at Rickmans-

The winner of the Spalaing

Tournament was Cecil Denny,

ressional who has often com-

first round two days ago and

he staked his final claim for

success with another round of

aggregate of 278 was made up

this morning. His final

The final hole at Moor Park

a one shotter and Denny

Eric Lester, who more than

capabilities, again gave evidence

today that he has the fighting

qualities necessary for a Ryder

Cup match. Six strokes behind

with a round to play, he

matched Denny's earlier 67 on

his final circuit and with 68.

70, 74, 67 finished only a

With crowds packed tight

round the greens there were

several cases of balls scattering

them, but none more strange

than when Dai Rees played to

the 12th green. His ball could

not be found even though on-

lookers shook their coats, but then a man put his hand in his

pocket and there was the

year, shared fourth place with Ken Bousfield at 283 today, Arthur Lees being third with

OTHER SCORES

Other leading scores edter

Denny and Lester were Arthur

Lees 68, 68, 74, 72-282;

last year showed his

He took five when it

that he would win

nearly lost the first prize of £300

reted with success in

first major British win

the

Shangaans

insects.

years aro.

Rhodesia.

Special.

Wins The

Spalding

Tourney

season finished.

lote in life.

of 67, 72, 67, 72.

stroke behind

missing ball.

Zulus.

News Agency's special correspondent in Bandung today described the statement on the Formosa situation by Ceylon's Premier Sir John Kotelawala at his Press conference yesterday as a "distortion of facts."

"The Ceylonese Prime Minister was uninformed of the facts when he alleged that the people on Taiwan were different from the Chinese in racial strains and in language as English is from French'," the Agency said.

He attempted to use history the at the same time demanded to back his allegation that Tai- China's 'publicly and formally wan had been 'independent' and calling upon local Communist regained its independence under groups throughout Asia and Chen Ching' in the 17th century. Africa to disband. "He did not know that Cheng King and his son Cheng Ching, famous champions against foreign aggression in China's history and the people they were 100 per cent Chinese, Nor did he know that the aim

ante at a mission station." Mr Sampson said. taste like frizzled bacon and are sharp and their long struggle was nothing sweet." - China but to free not only Taiwan, but the whole of Chima from the domination of foreign aggressors. **ENCROACHMENT** Cecil Denny "It is on the basis of such distortion of facts that

Kotelawala advocated that Taiwan be severed from China and made an 'independent state' and that he proposed international trusteeship of the island." He had done this although it was known "that other suggestions of a similar nature which aimed at encreachment on the Chinese territory and interven-

tion in China's internal affairs had gone bankrupt." "At his Press conference the Caylonese Prime Minister also to meet America later this repeatedly expressed doubts and misgivings' on peaceful co-

"He unscrupulously slandered worth, Hertfordshire, today the Soviet Union China and the the first major pro- people's democracies though none fessional tournament of the of these countries has ever constituted any threat to the existence of Ceylon. He tried to present the Communist movement inside the various counas irrecordable with burly North Middlesex Club propeaceful co-existence among

"Kotelawala stated that the inental events. But this was his precondition for co-existence was that every country should coming at the age of 47 has be free to have the government been accomplished somewhat of its own choosing and should not be subjected to any fear of outside interference. However. Denny had led with 67 on the

RUGBY LEAGUE

London, Apr. 22. Results of two Rugby League matches played this evening

Dewsury 10. Castleford 7. York 34, Bramley 13.-Reuter.

> Manpower Reduction Mistake

Washington, Apr. 22. House Democrats said today that the President had made a "serious mistake" in ordering reduction in military manpower and that the only 27 runs,—Reuter. Formosa crisis proves it.

The Democratic Leader of the House, Mr John Rees, who won the event last W. McCormack, cited testimony by the Secretary of the Navy, Mr Charles S. Thomas, and Admiral Robert B. Carney, Chief of Naval Operations, which was made public yesterday.

They said the Navy cannot money to continue its present tiger snake. Mrs Judith Baragwa

Admiral Carney, in secret have been taken." Dai Rees 71, 71, 70, 71—283; Kern Boussield 70, 70, 75, 68 testimony before the House
Military Appropriations SubCommittee on February 11, said
that the cut-backs ici navai Melvin Price, said that the strength had been predicted on Navy testimony showed that the seas forcer -could be brought home. That has not been possible

home. That has not been possible to the extent hoped, he said.

the Far East if it is to also com
Mr McCormack said that mr the snake ready to state ply with Mr Eisenhower's cut- Eisenhower's cut-back was a John outside their home at back order.

"calculated risk that should not Donvale, a suburb of Melbourne."

budget, was "operating in very critical times on a shoe string"

GLANCES SIDE Galbraith Bv



"George wants you and Ernest to come over-they're having a noisy party upstairs and we won't get to bed early anyway!"

# Australia Beat British Guiana

Attempt INNINGS

Georgetown, Apr. 22. Brilliant bowling by Victorian spinner Jack Prague, Apr. 22. Hill gave the Australians an easy victory over British Guiana by an innings and 134 runs on the third day of their four-day match here.

British Guiana who made 177 in their first innings, were all out before tea for 165 in their second innings after the Australians had declared the part. He was too young and at their overnight total of 776 for seven.

BOYS AND GIRLS PAGE

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LUXEMBURG

Hill who claimed five wickets in the colony's first innings, was on the mark again and tool five more wickets for only 15 runs. Hill finished the match with ten wickels for 65 runs. STAR BATSMAN

The colony without star batsman Cirde Walcott. who was injured, could find no answer to the Australian attack and were skittled out in their second innings in under four hours: resistance came from Butcher (48), McWatt (28) and the Indian player, Rohan Kanhai who made 27 but the remaining batsmen were never able to cope

with the clever spin bowling of Hill and Ian Johnson. Hill's figures were 16, 9, 15, and Johnson took three wickets for 39 in 17 overs. The colony's opening baismen, Bruce Pairaudeau and Glendon failed again began Guiana

second innings. Both were discheaply. wicket partnership of 47 Butcher and McWatt gave in colony score a touch of res-Nightingale; 8, Hudgerigar.

Butcher was bowled by Johnson, however, the innings collapsed and wickets fell regularly - the last five adding

# DOG SAVES

Melbourne, Apr. 22. Katie, a valuable Boxer showdog, gave her life to save her two-year-old master from a

Mrs Judith Baragwanath saw "Katic made a six-foot leap through the air and landed in front of John shielding him."

The Boxer killed the eneke but not before she had been bitten China Mail

DARTWORDS SOLUTION

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ingredients of Noel Relative play, the usua are epigrams, the English Aristocrats in decline, plus a butler lifted straight out of the Wodehouse Jeeves saga. The san of the family is about to marry a more than loathsome Hollywood film star. The problem is put up to the butler who comes across with a solution. the results of which surprise everyone including the butler.

The play is really amusing and contains some excellent lines which earned many laughs." The performance improved as it went along and as this is a verdict at midnight, the impressions are still fresh in my mind.

The play dragged a bit at the opening and did not get going until the scene brought together Vi Dekker as the Countess of Marshwood and Molly Crosbie as Moxie, the lady's maid. Then the whole cast seemed to catch some of the vigour with which these two played and the result was a very commendable performance.

#### CALM BUTLER

John Little as Crastwell the butler presented a restrained calm figure equal to all those sudden alarms that might surprise the English country house. He also carried a beautiful glass sherry.

Edna Burley as the housemaid had all the romantic illusions we expect of a housemaid in such a household. Nancy Van der Voort played with all the vulgar charm her part called for and had us all detesting her by the fall of the curtain.

#### NOT ALL SO WELL

Unfortunately, not all the parts were played so well, so the performance was a little uneven, The male characters did not come out as strongly as the women although John Wackett gave good support in the part of the Hon. Peter Ingleton. the son, was not good casting; William Mayne played well enough, but did not look all together too nice to have been in the process of marrying all and sundry.

Other parts were played by Alex Baird, Doug Shanks, Faith Butler, Doug Shanks playing extremely well as the American of Children. P.O. Box 2502 Don. Lucas.

On the whole it was a good show, a nice set, and I enjoyed it and so did the audience -JOHN LUFF.

#### Running Of Rabbits

London, Apr. 22. Britain's Ministry of Agriculture has started investigating charges that foxes are preying on lambs and poultry because myxomayosis is killing off so many rabbits.

The complaints have been made by farmers in southern England and Wales. They report a wave of raids on flocks and hen-houses following the increased death-rate among wild

The Ministry is now surveying the eating habits of the fox to see if the farmers' deduction is right.—China Mail Special.

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